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## POINTS WAY TO UNITED STATES

Mr. Lloyd George, in Clarion Tones, Declares America's Influence Needed in Solving Troubles of Europe

## EUROPE SLIPPING INTO DISRUPTION

War-Time Premier of Britain Declares It Is in Interest of America to Do Utmost for Peace

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 19.—Because of the record of the British Empire in the world war, when it went to the help of France against Germany, "we have a right to give advice," David Lloyd George, the wartime Premier of Great Britain, declared in an address here today on the German reparations situation.

Speaking at a luncheon given under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce here, he said that "we have a right to give advice, we have a right to say that we have friends, we've a right to claim that the sacrifice which we made was not made to perpetuate strife and anger and wrong."

The statement was made in reference to a report of a speech on the subject of reparations made in this city by Col. G. A. J. Dumont, military attaché of the French embassy at Washington, in which, according to newspaper reports, he said: "Pray may the Lord protect us against our friends."

Something New

Declaring that the "speech was obviously addressed to me," Mr. Lloyd George expressed regret that the phrase had been used, adding: "I never heard that phrase before 1914 and 1918. There are 900,000 dead throughout the British Empire as the proof of our friendship. The evidence of our friendship is scattered over very extensive graveyards in France and in Flanders. 'Protect us against our friends' no, I would ask him not to repeat that, not to repeat that—900,000 dead. Why, at the present moment there are 1,300,000 of our best workmen eating the bread of charity because we went to the help of France in 1914 to 1918."

Pointing to his friendship for France as evidence of the friendship, the traditional position of his political party and the record of Great Britain in the war, and declaring that he was not an apologist for the German government, he declared that Germany should be made to pay reparations "up to the limit of the capacity of the country to pay, reasonably interpreted."

Not Bondsmen

By "reasonable interpretation," the former Premier said he did not mean the making of Germany a nation of bondsmen.

"We believe in freedom of the world over," he added, "and every nation which is not free is a reflection on the great problems of the world and a problem, which, unless it is solved, belies me, and not merely affects everyday business, but may produce consequences that are now not conceivable to our minds."

Declaring that Europe was on the brink of tumult with Central Europe, "day by day slipping into anarchy, confusion, disruption," and that once there is chaos in a great country like Germany it cannot be known what menace may emerge, he asserted that it was in the interest of the American people and their government to do their best "to insure the carrying out of the divine message heralded 1900 years ago of 'Peace on earth and goodwill amongst men.'"

## HORSE OWNER HELD ON DRUG CHARGE

Caught as He Was Crossing International Border at Blaine—Will Be Tried at Seattle

SEATTLE, Oct. 19.—William McKinnon, said to be a Montana horseman with a stable of fast racing steeds at Calgary, was brought here yesterday in custody of Deputy United States Marshal Allick McDonald, who Blaine, where he is said to have crossed the international boundary Wednesday night with his pockets stuffed with opium.

McKinnon was arrested by W. M. Kartmark, a United States customs agent, on a train en route for Seattle. When apprehended he is said to have pleaded with Kartmark to permit him to throw the contraband through a window. Six five-tal tins of the black-looking drug were taken from him, it is said.

Arraigned this morning before United States Commissioner John Pinckney, at Blaine, the horseman was bound over to the Grand Jury in \$10,000 bonds.

According to McDonald, the prisoner said he was eager to deposit the money, hurry home to Montana to see his wife comfortably fixed for the winter, and return here to face the consequences.

## ASSERTS DRY LAW JACKASS STATUTE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—A "jackass statute" was the verdict pronounced on the Volstead Act by Senator Moses W. of New Hampshire, chairman of the Republican senatorial campaign committee, when he visited the White House today after a swing around twelve states in the East and Middle West.

"It's a jackass statute. Any law that declares buttermilk to be an alcoholic beverage of necessity is a jackass statute," asserted the Senator.

## British-Canadian Aerial Service Soon To Be Established

Premiers in Attendance at Imperial Conference Given Details of Coming Air Service Between Dominion and Motherland—Success of Aerial Transportation to Date Holds Out Great Future

## Offers Opportunity for Inter-Imperial Service

LONDON, Oct. 19.—"England to Canada by airship in less than thirty hours." This idea was held out, although in a somewhat nebulous way, perhaps, at this afternoon's sitting of the Economic Conference.

Sir Samuel Hoare, British Minister of Air Service, had been outlining to the conference the proposed Burney airship service between London and Cairo and on to India. By the proposed service, Sir Samuel explained, it would be possible to fly to India in one hundred flying hours, or five days, as opposed to the present fourteen days.

Then Colonel Amery, First Lord of the Admiralty, drew a picture of the giant airship of the future. He thought the airship had reached the stage where its success was assured. By taking the extreme northern circuit it could shorten the actual distance to Canada.

## Is New League President



DR. COSMO DE LA TORRIENTE  
The Cuban statesman, who has been elected president of the League of Nations.

## WHISKY RING'S METHODS BARED

CASE IN VANCOUVER COURTS PROVES INTERESTING

False Pretences Charged Against Man Who Sold One Hundred Cases of Liquor

VANCOUVER, B.C., Oct. 19.—A glimpse into the inner workings of Vancouver's whisky ring was afforded Mr. Justice Gregory and an Amalgamated court jury when the trial opened of J. F. A. Stevens, arraigned on a charge of obtaining \$12,900 by false pretences from Sam Menichello, an Italian, Stevens pleaded not guilty.

The Crown prosecutor stood aside all women who might have served on the jury, so that Stevens is being tried by "twelve good men and true."

Menichello paid Stevens \$2,900 for 100 cases of whisky. According to the Italian's evidence, he accompanied Stevens in a motor truck to a city address where he expected to find the liquor. The whisky was intended for export to Mexico, Stevens said, the witness, "I saw him wait, and that was the last Menichello saw of him until Stevens appeared in police court. Stevens was brought back from California for his trial."

## Old Country Whisky Drinkers Must Cut Ordinary Consumption

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Whisky drinkers of Britain are being told point blank by some of the best distillers that as long as American bootleggers are willing to pay higher prices for their products the home consumers must continue to face occasional shortages in their favorite drinks.

One of the most famous Scotch distilleries recently ran a full-page advertisement in some of the weekly magazines saying that only twenty-five per cent of its stocks can go to home consumers.

"So long as America and other export markets are willing to pay extra for quality, we must prefer to sell for exportation," the advertisement said.

## Turkey Puts Ban On News Distribution

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 19.—Beginning on October 8, the sale or introduction of news into Turkey by foreign agencies was prohibited. The official Anatolian agency, like its prototypes all over Central and Eastern Europe, assumed a monopoly of this displaced the British and other agencies service, which are now confined to the dispatch of outgoing news.

## DEVELOPMENT OF EMPIRE, THEME

Sir Lomer Gouin, Representing Dominion at Imperial Conference, Asks Common Sense in Formulating Plans

## EULOGIZES CANADA'S EFFORTS FOR EMPIRE

This Country Is Second Best Customer of Empire, He Says—Lauds Private Initiative in Development

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Developments of Empire markets was urged at a luncheon tonight given by the British Empire Producers' Association in honor of the Dominion Premiers.

Sir Philip Lloyd-Graeme, President of the Board of Trade, referring to criticism by Sir John Simon of the recent preference proposals, said the Baldwin government would not be retarded in the progress with its policy by any belated bogey of the "baby's current bulletin."

Premiers Bruce and Massey, who followed, urged the necessity of Empire development and migration as a means of providing new markets.

Premier Warren, of Newfoundland, spoke of hydro-electric development in Newfoundland as a way in which Great Britain has been able to assist that Dominion.

Speaks of Canada

Sir Lomer Gouin, Canadian Minister of Justice, in his address of welcome to the conference, said: "Let us guard against artificial and unnatural policies. The evolution of the people has its natural laws, which it is important not to disturb. Rather does it seem to me to be the part of statesmen to devote their energies to just interpretation of those laws, with the adequate application for the greater good of the respective countries."

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## POLICE OFFICER ON TRIAL FOR PERJURY

Alleged to Have Made Threat He Would Kill Vancouver Lawyer—Magistrate Asks Witness

VANCOUVER, Oct. 19.—Stipendiary Magistrate H. O. Alexander appeared today when the preliminary hearing of evidence in the charge of perjury against Constable J. A. Reilly, of the city police, was taken by Magistrate Shaw. Decision was reserved by Magistrate Shaw until next Wednesday.

Magistrate Alexander stated that in answer to an action which the witness was trying in his capacity of judge, the witness had been asked by Mr. G. L. Fraser, lawyer for the plaintiff, whether he had made threatening statements in the witness's office, Reilly denied the charge. Mr. Fraser took the box, said Magistrate Alexander, and swore positively that Constable Reilly had made the statements. He had the action against him dropped, he would "get him."

The lawyer again appeared as witness against the policeman and repeated to Magistrate Shaw the testimony he had given in the Small Debts Court. He added that he had gone to the witness's office and heard Constable Reilly make the statements of which his brother complained.

## GREECE WILL PAY DEBT TO CANADA

Under New Arrangement Eight Millions Owed Will Be Spread Over Twenty-Five Years

LONDON, Oct. 19.—An agreement has been satisfactorily reached between the Greek Government and the Canadian Government for the consolidation of the post war debt of Greece to Canada, amounting to approximately \$18,000,000.

The Greek Government has agreed to pay \$225,000 to complete the interest on the debt up to January 1, 1924, when the new agreement will come into force.

By the agreement the Greek Government will pay the Government of Canada \$8,000,000 in twenty-five year bonds on which five per cent interest will be payable semi-annually. A capital sum will also be paid semi-annually sufficient to extinguish the whole debt in twenty-five years.

OTTAWA, Oct. 19.—Finance Minister Fielding this evening confirmed a dispatch from London stating that agreement had been reached for the consolidation of the post war debt of Greece to Canada. The terms of the agreement were substantially as stated by the dispatch from London, said Mr. Fielding.

## ITALIAN FORCES IN TRIPOLI VICTORIOUS

Series of "Mopping Up" Operations Prove Successful at Heavy Cost to Rebels

TRIPOLI, Oct. 9.—The Italian forces in Tripoli have completed several "mopping up" operations against the rebels, recapturing the districts south of Siltan and Misrata. The rebels suffered losses amounting to more than four hundred men, while on the Italian side only a few native troops were wounded.

Valuable assistance was given the troops by the Italian airplanes, which were especially effective in the clear desert air.

In a battle between rebels and yesterday, the rebels lost fifty-one killed and the Italians two killed and eleven wounded, according to the Central News. Most of the tribes in Southern Cyrenaica now are submitting. It is added.

## Seeks Presidency

NOGALAE, Ariz., Oct. 19.—Adolfo de la Huerta, former Secretary of the Treasury of Mexico, has officially announced his candidacy for presidential election, according to the official Mexican press. He was formerly Governor of Sonora.

## Liberals Fight Preference



MR. DONALD MACLEAN  
One of the leaders of the British Independent Liberal party, has opened a Liberal free trade campaign, and announced his intention to contest the coming proposals of the Imperial Conference.

## SAYS B.C. PAPERS MUST BEAR BURDEN

CANADIAN PRESS CHIEF DESCRIBES THEIR HANDICAP

Mr. C. Norman Smith, of Ottawa, Urges Strengthening of Bonds Between East and West

"The average reader cannot realize the handicap that the British Columbia newspapers are under in securing Canadian and British news," said Mr. Norman Smith, of Ottawa, president of the Canadian Press, when he was here yesterday by the Colonist at the Empress Hotel.

"Could they bring that news from Pacific points south the problem would be easy. But United States newspapers of the West are very little concerned about news from Great Britain and not at all in news from Canada, except that of outstanding or sensational value. Hence the British Columbia newspapers are forced to the expensive long haul toward London and New York."

For years the Dominion Government realized the importance of a full exchange of information between the different sections of Canada, and made a grant toward leased wires across the three unsettled gaps. At the last session of Parliament, however, under fire from certain Eastern members, the Government decided to withdraw that grant, although both Mr. King and Mr. Fielding stated their belief that it was for the national advantage of Canada.

Burden on B.C. Papers

"The heaviest burden falls on the British Columbia newspapers. Those of us who realize the vital importance of an all-Canadian all-British news service hope that British Columbia papers will be able to shoulder that burden. It would be a matter not only for regret but for extreme anxiety if by any chance the readers of British Columbia newspapers should be cut off from a free flow of Canadian and British news."

Mr. Norman Smith also spoke of the wonderful improvement in the news services of the Canadian newspapers since the organization of the Canadian Press. This co-operative institution, for instance, was absolutely non-partisan and its parliamentary reports and gossip were printed daily in all Canadian newspapers, no matter what political party they might be editorially supporting. That led to clear thinking on public questions.

Mr. Smith has been greatly impressed with the solid development of Victoria since he was last here in 1911. "It is a city that Canadians can be proud of, and we must do everything to cement the bond between Eastern and Western Canada by providing talking links," he added.

Mr. Smith is vice-president of The Ottawa Journal. He plans to remain in Victoria until Monday.

## G.W.V.A. HOLDS TO DOMINION COMMAND

Conference at Winnipeg Endorses Continuation of Federal Body—Opposes Minister's Proposal

WINNIPEG, Oct. 19.—Representatives of the Provincial commands of Western Canada of the Great War Veterans' Association, who met in conference here today, were in favor of the Dominion command in the future as in the past.

The conference also discussed a proposal placed before it by Hon. Dr. H. S. Bland, Minister of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, for the creation of a central bureau or clearing house, where soldiers' claims and complaints could be adjusted, and decided to oppose any such scheme.

It was declared that as the G.W.V.A. had proved itself "an efficient and satisfactory channel" for the adjustment of the difficulties of the ex-service men, it should be recognized by the Government and receive assistance from time to time as needed.

## Dies of Poisoning

NANAIMO, Oct. 19.—Charles A. Williams, aged 48, a resident of Nanaimo for the past twelve years, died in the Nanaimo hospital today from blood-poisoning. A few days ago he sustained a scratch on one side of his face, which became infected. He was employed at Wright's shingle mill, and leaves a widow and one step-daughter.

## For Japanese Relief

VANCOUVER, B.C., Oct. 19.—The committee in charge of the Japanese Relief Fund, Canadian Red Cross Society, has shipped per R.M. Canadian Transporter, 2,000 double rolls of roofing material, value \$7,500, to Tokyo, Japan, for use in rebuilding of homes destroyed by the recent earthquake.

## GERMAN CONFEDERACY NEARING DISSOLUTION

Bavaria and Saxony Refuse to Continue Even Formal Relations With the Central Berlin Government—Fate of Ruhr and Rhineland Chief Cause of Concern to Cabinet

## Stresemann Cabinet Is At End of Usefulness

BERLIN, Oct. 19.—Diplomatic relations between the Berlin, Munich and Dresden governments, which local officials presented today as having assumed a "more tranquil aspect during the last twenty-four hours," late tonight were given an unexpected jolt by Dr. Von Kahr, the Bavarian dictator.

Dr. Von Kahr informed the central government that Bavaria hereafter must decline to enter into formal or official relations with Dr. Otto Cieseler, the federal Minister of Defence, who is military dictator for all Germany under the provisions of President Ebert's recent proclamation.

This states the Bavarian attack on the central government's prestige and authority, is the direct result of Dr. Cieseler's recall of General Von Lossow, commander of the Reichwehr, in Bavaria, who was removed from office on the ground that he had deliberately sabotaged Dr. Cieseler's order to suppress the Voelkischer Boebacher.

## Subscriptions to Aid Sufferers By Earthquake

SUBSCRIPTIONS received to date by the Red Cross Society, 318 Belmont House, for the relief of the earthquake sufferers, are as follows:

Previously acknowledged	\$5,140.26
C. L. Adams	5.00
Ladies' Aid, Reform	5.00
Episcopal Church	5.00
L. W.	1.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,151.26</b>

## GERMANY'S HAND SEEN IN FRANCE

HER POLICE IS TO STAND OFF CREDITORS

Hopes to Be Able to Secure Return of Anti-Poincare Forces at the Next Elections

PARIS, Oct. 19.—There is a growing conviction in diplomatic and political circles here that the German Government is manoeuvring in an attempt to hold off any definite agreement regarding the payment of reparations until after the French general elections next spring. Berlin is declared in these circles to have political agents in France, in touch with the leaders of the opposition parties, which are forming a coalition party to fight the Government majority in the chamber.

Backs Radical Forces

This new combination committee, comprising the Radicals, Republicans and Socialists, hopes to gain control of Parliament, in which case Germany might count on less vigorous, if not more generous, treatment from France. A victory for this coalition would mean an immediate departure of Premier Poincare to be succeeded by Herriot or Painleve, neither of whom is credited with the vigor and tenacity of the present Premier.

A high official of the Foreign Office, commenting on the communique given out in Berlin yesterday regarding the German charge d'affaires' latest visit to Premier Poincare, said today that the diplomatic action of Germany is directed solely to the object of throwing upon France the responsibility for trouble that may develop in the Ruhr or Rhineland in consequence of the financial collapse of Germany.

## DEPUTY MINISTER REPORTED RESIGNED

Mr. A. B. Buckworth Said to Have Submitted Resignation to the Hon. J. D. MacLean

Reports were current here yesterday that Mr. A. B. Buckworth had resigned as Deputy Minister of Railways, and that the position would be eliminated.

The non-committal statements made by both Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, and by Mr. Buckworth when questioned last night by The Colonist, indicated that there is something to the report, and a definite announcement is expected during the next few days.

Dr. MacLean would not deny that the resignation had been submitted to him, but stated that he would prefer to say nothing at all regarding the matter.

Mr. Buckworth referred interrogators to Dr. MacLean, and refused to say "yes" or "no" when asked if he had sent in his resignation.

## SUSTAINS VALIDITY OF PROVINCIAL ACT

Judge Cayley Holds Private Employment Agencies Cannot Operate in This Province

VANCOUVER, B.C., Oct. 19.—British Columbia private employment agencies have received a setback from Judge Cayley, who in a test case, has decided E. J. Dumaresque infringed the Employment Agencies Act of 1919 when he conducted an agency at 202 Carrall Street.

Various companies, employers of labor, remunerated Dumaresque monthly for sending workmen to them. In this way Dumaresque sent a man to the Caradon Bay logging camp of Dempsey, Limited. The prosecution was instituted by J. H. McVey, of the Employment Service of Canada.

Judge Cayley, reversing a decision by Magistrate Shaw, decided Dumaresque was a broker and there was no difference, as far as the act went, between Dumaresque being paid a flat rate or so much per head. The decision is to be appealed. A nominal fine of \$10 was imposed.

## Mr. Root's Appointment Mere Newspaper Gossip

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—The announcement by London newspapers that Elihu Root has been offered the post of ambassador to Great Britain is not based on any official utterances in Washington.

Officials close to President Coolidge decline to discuss the subject, but it has been indicated that there would be no haste in choosing an ambassador to take the place not yet vacated by Mr. George Harvey.



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NORTH SYDNEY, N.S., Oct. 19.—Missing for twenty-seven days, the Newfoundland schooner Freedom, Capt. Norworthy, arrived at her destination today. The schooner's sails were blown away.

## SIX KNOWN DEAD IN OKLAHOMA FLOODS

As Waters Recede True Nature of Enormous Damage Done is Becoming Apparent

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 19.—With six persons known to be dead, several missing and damage to property estimated in the millions, Oklahoma today watched a recession in flood waters which have inundated many sections of the state for nearly a week.

In an effort to resume train service by the end of the week, the railroads have dispatched working crews to repair the countless bridges and miles of track destroyed by the torrent.

Scores of acres of lowlands in the central and eastern parts of the state still are covered with water, but all danger is believed to have passed.

Looping Record

PARIS, Oct. 19.—Madame Adrienne Bolland, French aviatrix, today established a record by looping the loop ninety-eight times within a period of fifty-eight minutes. This included the time for ascending and descending. A leak in the gas tank of the plane prevented her from continuing.

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## PROTECTION FOR DEPOSITORS URGED

DOMINION WILL BE ASKED TO REFUND TAXES

Council for Depositors America Government Not Entitled to Amounts Collected for Profits Tax

TORONTO, Oct. 19.—Plans to protect the savings of \$9,000 depositors of the Home Bank of Canada, now in liquidation, were made yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the committee of fifteen appointed by the general meeting of depositors held recently.

According to I. E. Weldon, K.C., counsel for the depositors, the formation of a holding company to take over the assets of the Home Bank with a view to minimizing the cost of liquidation was recommended, and the proposal will be put before the depositors for consideration at their meeting in Toronto on December 6.

"As the Home Bank has been paying large amounts to the treasury of Canada in the way of business profits tax, when as a matter of fact there were no profits being made by the bank, the Government of Canada will be asked to return this money to the liquidators," Mr. Weldon said.

"It was decided," said Mr. Weldon, "to apply to the Government to make good the entire losses of the depositors, on the ground of negligence of the Department of Finance, inasmuch as they were perfectly aware several years ago of the state of affairs of the bank."

It was felt, he added, that when the assistant to the president of the bank reported to the Government that dividends were being paid out of deposits, and not being earned, that it was the duty of the Finance Department to have protected the public in some way.

## DEMOCRACY MUST BE PRESERVED

PAYS TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF MARTYRED PRESIDENT

Noted Briton Asserts the Principles Enunciated by Abraham Lincoln Must Again Be Fought For

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 19.—Mr. Lloyd George was officially welcomed to the state last night by Governor Small at a public dinner in the Leland Hotel, speaking of the distinguished visitor, the governor said that "his has been a courageous life of service to his country and to his fellowmen, as was that of our martyred president."

In his address, Mr. Lloyd George said: "I have come here today with one purpose and one purpose only—to pay my humble, sincere and fitting tribute of respect to the memory of one of the great men of the world. It is difficult to express the feelings with which I visited the home and the last resting place of one of the noblest figures in the history of mankind."

"There have been great men whose lives constitute part of the history of the world; there are a few whose lives have become part of the legends of humanity. These are the greatest and Lincoln's name will ever remain conspicuous among these. His fame is wider than the time and the date of his death, and it is still widening. His influence is deeper and it is still deepening."

His Message

"His example and his wise sayings are the inheritance of mankind, and will be quoted and used to save it from its follies to the end of the ages. The lessons of his statesmanship are as applicable today as they were sixty years ago. They will be as applicable a thousand years hence as they are today. Being dead, he still speaketh. He has messages of moment for this present hour."

"The first is: 'To trust the common people.' That trust is weakening in the continent of Europe, and country after country is abandoning its faith in Democracy. It is the time to proclaim Lincoln's indomitable confidence in the ultimate justice and good sense of the common people."

"What is his next message? 'Clemency in the hour of triumph.'"



DIPLOMACY REPAIRING THE DAMAGE

—Sydney (N.S.W.) Bulletin

The doctrine of the pagan world was woe to the conquered. Lincoln's doctrine was 'Reconcile the vanquished.' It is a time for remembering that vengeance is the justice of savage and that conciliation is the triumph of civilization over barbarism. Lincoln is the finest product in the realm of statesmanship of the Christian civilization, and the wise counsel he gave to his own people in the day of their triumph he also gives today to the people of Europe in the hour of their victory over the forces that menace their liberties."

Speaking, in conclusion, of Lincoln's trust of the common people and his belief in Democracy, Mr. Lloyd George mentioned the sweep of autocracy across Europe and declared that "a time is coming when the principles of Abraham Lincoln will have to be fought for again."

"And the flag of Great Britain and of the United States," he added, "standing together, rallying about them the men taught the principles of Abraham Lincoln will yet save the world for liberty, for peace, for good-will amongst men."

## GERMANY AVERSE TO MONOPOLIES

PROTESTS AGAINST PROPOSALS IN BELGIAN NOTE

Accepts in Principle Suggestion Giving Allies Proportion of Profits of German Industries

PARIS, Oct. 18.—The German Government has set forth its views on the Belgian plan for a settlement of the reparations question announced in the recent Belgian grey book.

The document, says a dispatch to The Temps from Brussels, will be sent shortly to the Reparation Commission. It is said to be strongly critical of the proposals proposed by Belgium, it being maintained that they constitute a tax on consumption and throw the burden on the general population instead of on the real holders of the nation's wealth; and it eliminates all the monopolies except three—alcohol, sugar and salt—which, according to the estimate of the Belgian experts, would bring in \$90,000,000 gold marks.

Coal Deliveries

At the same time the Germans declare they can not simultaneously cede monopolies and resume coal deliveries, contending that they either retain the proceeds from monopolies to pay owners of coal, or, if the monopolies are ceded for reparations, they must be relieved, at least for the time being, of the obligation of delivering coal.

Finally, the Germans will not agree to interdicted exploitation of the German railroads, but they may they will consent to pay rent for them on condition that the French-Westphalian railroads are returned to them.

The question of participation by the Allies in the profits of German industry in the proportion of twenty-five per cent is subject to a series of technical explanations, which are rather confused and full of reservations. But nevertheless the Germans accept participation in principle, subject to certain conditions.

Dispute With Saxony

BERLIN, Oct. 19.—It was reported here today that the dispute between the federal government and the government of Saxony will be solved by the former displacing General von Mueller, commander of the Reichswehr in Saxony, whose mode of procedure is said to have been too harsh. This action, the report adds, will be accompanied by a rebuke to the Saxon government for its interference in the politics of the republic.

The Stresemann government also is confronted with another unpleasant prospect, for it is reported to have decided to recall General von Lossow, commander of the Reichswehr in Bavaria, who appeared to be unable to withstand the domination of Dr. von Kahr, the Bavarian dictator. Such action, it is considered, is likely to meet with strong opposition from the Bavarian government and thus increase the tension already prevailing between Berlin and Munich.

Although nothing has been officially announced regarding the measures Minister of Defence Gessler proposes to take in connection with Saxony, it is understood the government has determined that "the proletarian hundreds" shall be disbanded by the Saxon police and if the latter are not up to the task troops will be used to eliminate the extremist military organization.

Pawnshop Robbed

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 19.—Four armed motor bandits held up Kennedy Brothers' pawnshop in the business section today and escaped with jewelry and cash estimated at \$25,000. The holdup occurred one block from a police station.

## DRUG CASES STILL AWAIT OPEN TRIAL

NOW COME ASSURANCES OF PENDING INVESTIGATION

Trial of Vancouver H.C.M.P. Officers on Graft Charges Is Remanded for Eighth Time in Court

Trial of the Vancouver H.C.M.P. Canadian Mounted Police officers, F. W. Eccles and W. L. Smith, who with the longshoreman, Frank Fernandez, have been repeatedly remanded in the police court on charges of having possession of opium, did not advance beyond its chronic stage of adjournment yesterday, when it was again remanded until next Wednesday.

City Prosecutor Harrison informed the court that he was tired of "these adjournments," while Magistrate Jay contented himself with the comment that he had already sufficiently recorded his opinion that the proper course was to proceed to trial on the charges as laid. In view of a letter from Attorney-General Manson to Mr. Harrison, however, it was conceded that there was nothing to do but to allow further remand.

Mr. G. H. S. Helstern, appearing for Messrs. J. B. Pattullo, K.C., and J. A. Russell, Vancouver counsel for the defence, urged that adjournment was the only proper course in view of the commission of inquiry to be undertaken by the Dominion Government. Attorney-General Manson's letter, which was read by Mr. Harrison, was as follows: "Now that we have definite assurance that the commission for the investigation asked for has been issued, I take it that we should curtail all necessary expenses in the matter of further police court proceedings. I have so advised Mr. Pattullo, and I can see no reason now for requiring the attendance of witnesses or for other counsel than yourself; so have the cases stood over until the commission comes to hand, when we can decide finally what disposition to make of them."

The accused police officers, who are members of the drug traffic suppression force, if the trial is adjourned, will be charged with the possession of opium, and charged with Fernandez with threatening a witness for the prosecution. Mr. Harrison insisted yesterday that the bondsmen on the latter charge should come forward and acknowledge their continued responsibility for bail. It is eight weeks since the men were first charged, as a result of their arrest in this city by special officers of the Customs Department. The effect of the charges is an allegation of wholesale graft among certain of the mounted police, and the name of Sergeant Munday being included in the voluminous correspondence which has marked the unavailing efforts of Mr. Harrison to force a trial in open court of the charges.

The reasons advanced by Dominion Government Departments in Ottawa, who have intervened in the proceedings, for preventing a trial in court, are concerned with the effect of revealing police methods of dealing with the narcotic drug traffic. Mr. Harrison has more than once conceded that an inquiry by Royal Commission, as long as it was in public, might be the best way to probe a matter which is alleged to go far beyond the bounds of the specific charges now before the Victoria police court; but both he and Magistrate Jay have consistently protested that no department of the Crown had any authority to prevent the trial of the charges as laid.

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## Complications Arise In British Situation In Theatres of War

Failure of Army to Capture Gallipoli Peninsula and Lord Fisher's Change of Policy Help to Throw War Council Into Confusion—Final Resignation of First Sea Lord

### THE WORLD CRISIS: 1915

By the Right Hon. Winston S. Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, 1911-1915  
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#### ARTICLE 12—PERPLEXED WAR COUNCIL

THE war council of May 14 was sulphurous. We were in presence of the fact that Sir Ian Hamilton's army had been definitely brought to a standstill on the Gallipoli Peninsula, was suspended there in circumstances of peril, was difficult to reinforce, and still more difficult to withdraw. The fleet had relapsed into passivity. Lord Fisher had insisted on the withdrawal of the Queen Elizabeth. German submarines were about to enter the Egean, where our enormous concentrations of shipping necessary to support the Dardanelles operations lay in a very unprotected state. At the same time the failure of the British attacks in France on the Aubers ridge was unmistakable. Sir John French's army had lost nearly 20,000 men without substantial results, and general headquarters naturally demanded increased supplies of men and ammunition. The shell crisis had reached its explosive point—the shortage had been disclosed in The Times that morning—and behind it marched a political crisis of the first order. The weakness and failure of Russia were becoming every month more evident. Intense anxiety and extreme bad temper, all suppressed under formal demeanor, characterized the discussion.

#### Lord Kitchener's Reproaches

Lord Kitchener began in a strain of solemn and formidable complaint. He had been induced to participate in the Dardanelles operations on the assurances of the navy that they would force the passage. Now they had abandoned the attempt. Most particularly had his judgment been affected by the unique qualities of the Queen Elizabeth, the ship which he had withdrawn; she was to be withdrawn at the very moment when he had committed his army to a great operation on the Gallipoli Peninsula, and when that army was struggling for its life with its back to the sea.

Lord Fisher at this point interjected that he had been against the Dardanelles operations from the beginning, and that the Prime Minister and Lord Kitchener knew this fact well. This remarkable interruption was received in silence. The Secretary of State for War then proceeded to survey other theatres of the war in an extremely pessimistic mood. The army in France was firing away shells at a rate which no military administration had ever been asked to sustain. The orders which had been placed for ammunition of all kinds were all being completed late. The growing weakness of Russia threatened to enable the Germans to transfer troops to the west and resume the offensive against us. Thirdly, he proceeded to dilate upon the dangers of invasion. How could he tell what would happen? Great Britain must be defended at all costs, all the more if other affairs miscarried. In these circumstances he could not send Sir John French the four new divisions he had promised him; they must be reserved for home defence.

My Reply  
When he had finished, the council turned to me—almost on me. I then spoke in the name of the series of arguments with which the reader should now be familiar and which forms the staple of this volume. It had been over three months before that an army of from 80,000 to 100,000 men would be available in May for an attack on the Dardanelles, the attack by the navy alone would never have been undertaken. Though matters had gone badly in many quarters and great disappointments had been experienced, there was no reason to suppose that the Dardanelles did not depend on the navy. The navy had been planned before it was known that she would go. She was not to be withdrawn because of the danger of submarines to so invaluable a ship. She would be replaced by monitors and other specially-designed vessels being built, in many respects to outclass the Dardanelles and largely immune from submarine attack. The naval support of the army would in no way be affected. It was no good exaggerating the value of the Queen Elizabeth, or supposing that a great operation of this kind could turn on a single vessel. As for the shell shortage, that would remedy itself if we made the greatest exertions and did not meanwhile embark on premature offensives without adequate superiority in men, guns or ammunition. Lastly, what was this talk about invasion?

The admiralty did not believe that any landing in force could be effected, still less, if effected, that it could be sustained and nourished. What grounds were there for supposing that the enemy, now fully committed to the eastward effort against Russia, would spin round and bring troops back to invade England or attack the western front? And how many would they bring, and

how long would it take? Stop those vain offensives on the western front until the new armies were ready and sufficient ammunition was accumulated. Concentrate the available reinforcements upon the Dardanelles and give them such ammunition as was necessary to reach a decision there at the earliest possible moment. Discard these alarms about the invasion of an island no longer denuded of troops as in 1914, but bristling with armed men and guarded by a fleet far stronger relatively than at the beginning of the war, and possessed of sources of information never previously dreamed of. Sir John French have the new divisions for which he had asked, but otherwise remain on the defensive in France.

After the Council  
I am not quoting the actual words in either case, but their sense is fully sustained by the abbreviated records. These considerations appeared to produce a definite impression upon the council. We separated without any decision, but arguments were, however, accepted almost in their entirety by the coalition administration which came into existence a few weeks later and every one of the suppositions on which they rested was vindicated by events. The departure of the Queen Elizabeth did not prevent the naval support of the army at Gallipoli nor its supply by sea. The British and French offensives in France continued to fall over a much longer period than the Dardanelles, with ever-increasing bloody slaughter and the fruitless destruction of our new armies. The Germans did not and could not arrest their drive against Russia, which was in fact on the eve of its full intensity. They did not come back to the West, nor was it physically possible for them to do so for many months to come. They did not invade England; they never thought of invading England at this period, nor could they have done it had they tried.

However, events were now to supervene in the British political sphere which were destined fatally to destroy the hopes of a successful issue at the Dardanelles and preclude all possibility of a speedy termination of the war.  
After the council I wrote the following letter to the Prime Minister, which I think shows exactly where I stood:  
Mr. Churchill to the Prime Minister  
May 14, 1915.  
I must ask you to take note of Fisher's statement today that "he was against the Dardanelles and had been all along," or words to that effect. The first sea lord had agreed in writing to every executive telegram on which the operations have been conducted; he had then been immediately successful, the credit would have been his. But I make no complaint of that. I am attached to the old boy and he is a great pleasure to me to work with him. I think he reciprocates these feelings. My point is that a moment will probably arise in these operations when the admiralty will be asked to run a risk with the fleet for a great and decisive effort. If I agree with him, I shall reason it, and I cannot undertake to be paralyzed by the veto of a friend who, whatever the result, will certainly say, "I was always against the Dardanelles."

Necessary Measures  
You will see that in a matter of this kind someone has to take the responsibility. I will do so—provided that my decision is the one that rules—and not otherwise.  
I am also uncomfortable not to know what Kitchener will or won't do in the matter of reinforcements. We are absolutely in his hands, and I never saw him in a queerer mood—or more unreasonable. I think he punishes the admiralty by docking Hamilton of his divisions because we have withdrawn the Queen Elizabeth; and Fisher will have the Queen Elizabeth home if he is to stay.  
Through all this with patience and determination we can make our way to one of the great events in the history of the world. I think he is right. But I wish now to make it clear to you that a man who says, "I disclaim responsibility for failure," cannot be the final arbiter of the measures which may be found to be vital to success.  
This requires no answer, and I am quite contented with the course of it.

I spent the afternoon completing my proposals for the naval reinforcement of the Dardanelles and for the conveying of the two divisions with which I understood and trusted Sir Ian Hamilton was to be immediately reinforced.

Confers With Fisher  
Although there could be very little doubt about what naval reinforcements were needed, I did not want the demands to fall upon Lord Fisher with a shock. I therefore went into his room in the evening to talk over the whole position with him. Our conversation was quite friendly. He did not object to any of the particular measures proposed, but, as usual, he did not like the steady and increasing drain on our resources and the in-

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section given to our campaign by the growing demands of the Dardanelles. I then said to him that it was really not fair for him to obstruct the necessary steps at the Dardanelles and then, if there was a failure, to turn round and say, "I told you so, I was always against it." He looked at me in an odd way and said, "I think you are right—it isn't fair." However, he accepted the minutes and we parted amicably.

Into this extraordinary period, when intense situations succeeded each other with dizzying rapidity, another event was now to break. Following the method which I had adopted since Lord Fisher came to the admiralty, I resumed work in my room at about 10 o'clock that night. The Italian crisis was at its height. The Italian Government had resigned in consequence of the opposition to Italy entering the war, and this enormous and brilliant event which we had regarded as almost settled more than a fortnight before, now appeared once again to be thrown into the Italian naval attaché, an officer ardently devoted to the cause of the Allies, asked to see me. He was accompanied by Ad-

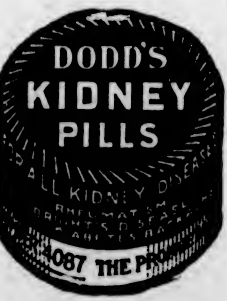
miral Oliver, who had a file of papers. The naval attaché said that the uncertainty and convulsions now prevailing in Rome made it vital that the arrangements for naval co-operation which had been conceived a week before in Paris should be brought into immediate effect. Under these arrangements we were to send inter alia four light cruisers to reinforce the Italian fleet in the Adriatic. These cruisers were to reach Taranto by daybreak on the 18th. The naval attaché urged that their arrival should be accelerated. If they could arrive two days earlier, definite naval co-operation between Great Britain and Italy would be an accomplished fact, and the fact might well be decisive.

Dispatch of British Cruisers  
As I had myself negotiated the naval convention with Italy in Paris, I was of course fully acquainted with every detail. I had procured the first sea lord's agreement to all its terms, including the dispatch of the four cruisers. These cruisers had been detailed, Fisher's green initial discharging their movement was prominent on the second page of the file. No question of principle was involved by accelerating their departure by

forty-eight hours. It did not come within the limits of the working arrangement which Fisher and I had made with each other, viz., to take no important step except in consultation. It never occurred to me for a moment that it could be so viewed, nor did the chief of the staff suggest that we should wake up the first sea lord. He would begin his letters at about 4 o'clock in the morning and he would get the file then. I therefore approved the immediate dispatch of these cruisers and wrote, as I had done in similar cases before, "First sea lord to see after action."

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Mary Zahara, who was run over by the automobile from which the fatal shot was fired, and J. Towas, who was struck on the head when he attempted to release the girl from under the car, which went into the ditch, both testified tonight. Towas said home brew had been served at the dance at which Bodluk had been creating trouble. He testified that Bodluk fired the shots.



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## NAVAL POWER

Admiral of the Fleet Sir F. C. D. Sturdee, who will be remembered as the victor in the Falkland Islands sea fight, has been lecturing at the Royal United Service Institute on the future of the fleet. It is a subject which is now attracting a growing volume of attention in Britain, and such attention might well be developed also throughout the Overseas Dominions, as is apparent from what Admiral Sturdee has to say on the matter. Singapore, he says, has been selected as a naval base after the most careful consideration. It goes without saying that naval bases, in peace as well as in war, are essential to secure the internal communications of the Empire. Singapore is the gateway of the Pacific. It covers the approaches to India and British connections in the Indian Ocean, including the sources of the vital oil supply from Borneo, Persia and the Gulf. To quote Admiral Sturdee: "The loss of Germany of her colonies in the war was a demonstration of the force of Allied sea power, and I trust that the Government and the public realize that our bases, and even our great Dominions, would equally be at the mercy of a stronger sea power if we neglect to maintain sufficient naval forces."

Actually, Admiral Sturdee points out, the British Empire has to think in terms of ocean power rather than sea power. The battleship, in his opinion, is the most powerful unit in ocean warfare. So long as other Powers construct battleships, Britain must do the same, within the limitations laid down by the Washington Treaty. He shows that it was not submarines, but battleships, which kept the German fleet in port. The Admiral takes issue with the extreme air and submarine advocates by asking how in the future, if a fleet came around Cape Horn, Britain could adequately take care of her beef and wheat ships from the Argentine. He denies that a submarine could attack with success a properly protected moving fleet, and he points out in this connection that anti-submarine devices are becoming increasingly effective. Admiral Sturdee realizes that aircraft have great potentialities, but for ocean use they have their limitations, due to the comparatively short radius of action. Aircraft-carriers are necessary, and these vessels are largely unprotected ships, vulnerable to attack from the air, the surface and the sub-surface.

Admiral Sturdee makes a strong plea for the cruiser, which he regards as essential with such long communications as the British Empire possesses. He has grave doubts as to whether aeroplanes can replace these for protective purposes, and though airships might be of great use, their vulnerability to air attack is a great disadvantage. His conclusions on the subject of naval defence convey a warning. The United Kingdom, he says, is becoming yearly less self-contained. The Empire is vastly widespread and peculiarly vulnerable to attack. On these accounts it is of vital importance that all reasonable means should be taken to insure those communications which should not be severed. Cruisers are as necessary as ever, in his opinion, and to insure security the Empire must possess more cruisers than any other single Power because of the extent of its communications as compared with those of any other Power. It is a matter of thankfulness to all dwellers within this Empire that the question of naval power should be taken to the fore again. It is a question that cannot be forgotten without danger of the prestige and safety of the British peoples beginning to decline.

## PRIVY COUNCIL APPEALS

From the first it was held in well informed quarters, and on the face of the treaty of navigation, trade and commerce between Great Britain and Japan, to which Canada by her own act became a partner, that this Province could not discriminate against the employment of Japanese in connection with leases and concessions granted by British Columbia. The powerlessness of this Province to discriminate in such a way is made apparent by the dismissal of the appeal of the Provincial Attorney-General against the decision of the Canadian Supreme Court, an appeal which had been taken to the Imperial Privy Council. British Columbia was attempting to do something that was ultra vires of this Province, and, at the time, it was pointed out that the legislation was beyond Provincial powers. The Government, however, insisted on carrying the matter through the courts, with the result that it has spent thousands of dollars to ascertain something that to the best informed authorities was apparent from the first. It is by no means comforting to know that such expenditure should be possible at a time

when retrenchment is so desirable in Provincial affairs.

British Columbia has lost both her latest appeals to the Privy Council. The second one was made in an effort to escape from the payment of customs duty on liquor imported by the Government to be sold under the Liquor Control Act. This was another case where it was pointed out that the Province was just as liable as an individual for the payment of such duty, inasmuch as it does not possess the status to impose customs duty, a power which is wholly vested in the Federal authorities. Both these cases have meant a large expenditure, and the result of this is to leave matters exactly where they were. They should constitute a warning of the necessity of greater co-operation between this Province and the Dominion in the question of legislation. In matters where legal entanglements are likely to ensue, there ought to be some co-operation in order to save the taxpayers' money. The value of having such a court as the Imperial Privy Council for appeals is undoubtedly, but it is a court to which appeals are unnecessary where the weight of evidence lies so much on one side as in the two cases under review. Such appeals only involve what must be described as a waste of the taxpayers' money.

## FRANCE'S PROSPERITY

A phenomenon of the time and the redeeming feature in distracted continental Europe is the wonderful prosperity that prevails in France. This is described in an illuminating way by Sir W. Beach Thomas in The London Daily Express. He points out that the prosperity of the country leaps to the eye. The farther you travel, the more amazing the signs of successful industry. It would appear that all the efforts of national industry are booming. There are great and splendid new factories springing up in various quarters, round Paris, at Lyons, Marseilles, Bordeaux and scores of other centres. The most modern iron and steel plants in the world have been installed along the frontiers in the once devastated regions. Unemployment is quite unknown, in fact, there is a lack of sufficient labor. It is organized prosperity that is being experienced in France. The Government has lavished money on restoring devastated areas, on rebuilding and re-equipping factories, on increasing the means of transport and developing electrical power. Sir W. Beach Thomas shows that protective duties, when need arose, have been slapped on "by order" without the delay of a day. The merchant fleet has been so rapidly increased that it is now the third in size in the world. "The money," he says, "has been spent productively. Bread has been cast on the waters and is now returning home—battered."

## OFFICIALDOM RUN MAD

"Bootleggers" may be a virulent type of criminal, but they are not sufficiently dangerous to humanity to become a mark for Prohibition enforcement officers on sight whenever seen and however suspected. The action of the Seattle officer indicates, to put it mildly, an intemperateness which cannot fail to do harm to the cause of which he is the agent. It takes a great deal to shock the people of the United States in the matter of methods adopted to enforce the Volstead Act. They have often put up with acts of misguided officials which would never have been tolerated in a British country. The patience of the people of Seattle, however, seems to have been exhausted by a Prohibition enforcement officer firing a shot on a suspect in a crowded street, regardless of the bullets that the bullets from his revolver might find. Such action is frenzied. Even in the pursuit of criminals there must be protection for the lives of innocent persons, and the Prohibition officer responsible should not alone suffer the consequences of his criminal act, but he should be debarred ever again from acting as the agent of a cause upon which he has brought such flagrant dishonor.

M. Charles de Lesseps, the son of Count Ferdinand de Lesseps of Suez Canal fame, has died in Paris. He was associated with the Panama Canal Company which was founded in 1881 with a share capital of 300,000,000 francs, and this company in seven years time raised 144,000,000 francs. After this expenditure the effort to build a Panama canal was abandoned and M. de Lesseps accepted the responsibility for the failure of the company in 1892. He was arraigned before the Paris courts on a charge of fraud and bribery and sentenced to five years imprisonment, but was released after serving some seven months. The principal accusation against him was that he had deceived subscribers to the company by prophesying for the Panama canal a possible traffic of 7,000,000 tons annually. His opinion has been justified and more than justified, for the traffic of the canal today is more than three times that amount. At the time his company came to disaster he had become convinced that a level canal through the Panama Isthmus was a mistake and he was willing to change the project into a canal of eight reaches between locks. The company, however, went into liquidation, but he lived to see others complete the work, the possibilities of which were apparent to his fertile brain.

## Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Our street is not the most beautiful highway in the city of Victoria, nor is it the most populous. In its infancy it developed symptoms of boulevard, but the City Council, for some inscrutable reason, arrested this process of development, and the boulevard never grew up. The foundations of the said boulevard were well and truly laid, like the cornerstones of important buildings; the spaces intended to contain beautiful lawns and stately trees or flowering shrubs were encircled with slabs of hewn stone, and then the whole structure was delivered over to Nature, untrammelled and unrestrained, which, with her accustomed prodigality in this prolific climate, has produced about four crops a year of weeds and thistles, thorns and dandelions, and other tares not beloved by the gardener.

Still our street possesses some attractions. Everything about it or living upon it is not commonplace. Man has left it in a state of comparative desolation, but Nature has provided it with children and dogs in abundance, considering the comparative sparseness of its population. Children are always attractive to those who understand their ways and their manners; and dogs are not without their endearing qualities to those who are gifted with the capacity to admire virtues not always possessed in too great abundance by creatures who consider themselves masters of dogs and all creatures of the lower order.

Reference already has been made in this place to Rover and his master, the latter a little lad who has just attained school age, the former a collie who probably could boast of a long pedigree if his mind were not concentrated upon higher and more important things. A great calamity has befallen Rover. The hand of the school law has fallen heavily upon him. His master has been ordered to attend school, and his days are desolate indeed. But he is manfully making the best of untoward and incomprehensible circumstances. Like Mary's little lamb, he follows his beloved companion to school, always according to established dog precedent, with a stick in his mouth. The boy, after the manner of man in the making, takes no notice of these things. His mind is upon matters of far less moment. He will grow up, form attachments and contract friendships, but never in the course of his life will he be the object of such devotion as that of Rover, a Scotch collie.

There are other children living upon our street, some of them probably just as winsome in their ways as Rover's master; but the dog will admit none of them into the inner sanctuary of his faithful canine heart. He will attend them in a perfunctory sort of way during the dismal period of school hours, but the fact is apparent that his interests are elsewhere. He is merely filling in the time until his idol is released from imprisonment, then his cup of bliss is full to the brim and running over.

Our street naturally has been affected by the craze which has become almost universal. The germs of a disease called golf have found a lodgment there. This malady usually attacks people of mature years, although there are scoffers who maintain that development of its symptoms is a sure and certain sign of mental immaturity. One of the elderly people on our street has fallen a willing victim to the prevailing disease and has been seen practising shots and puts and foolzies and other strokes with peculiar names upon a large vacant lot in the neighborhood. He has been doing these things by stealth, as if ashamed of such undignified proceedings. But the children soon found out. Here was a great discovery indeed, an opportunity hitherto undreamt of, for enjoyment after school hours. That golfer in the making, as he thinks, is re-established himself in their lonely concrete domiciles at the entrance to the Valley of Kings and have made a preliminary survey of the work that must be done before the inner tomb believed to contain the mummy of the Pharaoh can be opened.

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## Poems That Endure

Choosing all the others that the world has ever known.

THE LAST ROSE OF SUMMER

"The last rose of summer,  
Left blooming alone;  
All her lovely companions  
Are faded and gone;  
No flower of her kindred,  
No flower of her hue,  
Is left to her loneliness  
To that sweet June day,  
When first she appeared,  
In the time of the year,  
To shine in the garden.  
So soon may I follow,  
And from the earth be gone,  
When this flower drops away,  
And only a weed will grow,  
And weed seeds are sown,  
O, how will I miss thee,  
This bleak winter time?"

—Thomas Moore.

## Vignettes From O. HENRY

Little stories by a Great Story-Teller

## RUSH MONEY

He was a great practical joker and never lost a chance to get a good one on somebody. A few days ago he stopped a friend on Main Street, and said, confidentially: "I never would have believed it, but I believe it my duty to make it known. Mr. —, the alderman for our ward, has been taking much money."

"Impossible!" said his friend. "I tell you, it's true, for I overheard the conversation and actually saw it handed over to him, and he took the money and put it in his pocket."

Then he went on without explaining any further, and the thing talked around considerably for a day or two.

He forgot all about it until one day he met the alderman on the street.

And then he had to go all round and explain, and when he meant was that he had seen the alderman's wife give him a dime to buy some paragon for the baby.

"Only to lie,"

Watching the drifting clouds  
O'er the water sailing,  
Mystical dream-like shadows,  
Watching the purple shadows  
Filling the woodland glades,  
Only to lie in the twilight,  
Deep in the gathering shades.

Only to lie at midnight,  
Climbing the post-dusk stairs;  
Wife at the top of them waiting,  
Upwards are raising our hair,  
Only to lie as she asks us:  
"Here have you been so late?"  
Only to lie with judicious  
"Cars blocked, I had to wait."

By the Way—

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MEDIA was a famous sorceress, the daughter of Aesculap, king of Colchis, and wife of Jason, the leader of the Argonaut expedition, whom she loved. She was a beautiful woman, and when she was in the Golden Fleece, she accompanied Jason to Greece, but was deserted by him in order that he might marry Creusa. Media thereupon took revenge on her faithless spouse by murdering the two sons who had been born to her, and to have become immortal, to have been honored with divine worship, and to have married Achilles, in Elysium.

Sophocles and Euripides among the ancient writers, and among the moderns, made the story of Media the subject of tragedies, but the one written by Sophocles is lost.

## EXPECT TO FIND

## BODY OF PHARAOH

Work Now Proceeding on Clearing Entrance to Tomb of Tutankhamen in Valley of Kings.

LUXOR, Egypt, Oct. 19.—Preparations for clearing the tomb of earth, stone and wooden joints that now rest over the tomb of Tutankhamen are proceeding apace. Howard Carter and his associates, Messrs. Candlish and Benson, have re-established themselves in their lonely concrete domiciles at the entrance to the Valley of Kings and have made a preliminary survey of the work that must be done before the inner tomb believed to contain the mummy of the Pharaoh can be opened.

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Anglo-U.S. Loan

BUDAPEST, Oct. 19.—It is understood here that Great Britain and the United States have agreed to float the Hungarian loan. The plan for the organization of the Hungarian finances by the League of Nations is adopted.

## Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except on the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Canada and Naval Defense

Sir,—In an editorial of Oct. 17, headed "Who Played Politics?" and relating to the naval defense of Canada, The Times indicates that the Conservative party publicly repudiated the naval policy they had helped to form, and entered into an alliance with the anti-British anti-Laurier Nationalists of Quebec. Let us examine the facts. In the Spring of 1905 a resolution moved by the Prime Minister, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and seconded by the leader of the Opposition, Mr. E. L. Borden, providing for the speedy organization of a Canadian navy, was unanimously passed. In the summer of that year a conference was held in London to discuss the naval and military defense of the Empire, and the British Admiralty in a memorandum pointed out that the maximum of power for a given expenditure would be effected by all parts of the Empire contributing according to their needs and resources to the maintenance of the British Navy. Failing this, they suggested that a Canadian fleet unit be created, consisting of at least one dreadnought, three armored cruisers, six destroyers and three submarines, and based on the Pacific Coast. However, in 1919 Sir Wilfrid Laurier brought down a bill providing for the maintenance of five cruisers (two only of these to be stationed on the Pacific) and six destroyers. Mr. Borden criticized this naval bill on the ground that it did not follow the proposals of the Admiralty, and that there was a dangerous suggestion that the naval forces of Canada might be withheld from those of the Empire in time of war. He took the stand that no permanent naval policy should be carried out until submitted to the people, and that in the meantime there should be placed at the disposal of the Imperial authorities as a free and loyal contribution an amount sufficient to purchase two dreadnoughts.

Was this "anti-British" and "playing politics," or was it an honest endeavor to meet an emergency which the Imperial Government had reason to think existed? And as for the alleged Conservative-Nationalist alliance, we have Mr. Henri Bourassa's own words for it, as stated in Le Devoir, that, thanks to his supporters, the Laurier naval policy could not be carried out, and the Borden bill (1913) was being drowned in a sea of ridicule. It only remains to add that to make sure of defeat, the Borden bill which sought to contribute three dreadnoughts to the British Navy at a time when they were sorely needed, the Liberals and the Nationalists were found voting together.

E. FRANCES MARA.  
470 Chester Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Oct. 19, 1923.

## TEST VALIDITY OF

## BLUE SKY LAWS

Right of Provincial Legislature to Enact Such Legislation Attacked Before Supreme Court

OTTAWA, Oct. 19.—The right of a Provincial Legislature to pass "Blue Sky" laws is involved in the case of Luky vs. The Ruthenian Farmers' Elevator Company, which was before the Supreme Court here today on an appeal from the Court of Appeal of Saskatchewan and the governments of Saskatchewan and Ontario are concerned in the appeal.

The case involves directly the validity of the Saskatchewan Rules of Shares Act and the intervention of Ontario is explained by the similarity of legislation in that province. Luky, the original defendant in the suit, bought two shares of the Ruthenian Farmers' Elevator Company stock, and tendered notes in payment. These notes were not paid and when the company took action to recover, Luky's defence was that at the time of the execution of the notes the company did not have a licence to sell shares of stock as required by the Saskatchewan Rules of Shares Act on "Blue Sky" law.

The company, on the other hand, contends that the Rules of Shares Act in ultra vires of Provincial Legislation as applying to a company having, as the company has, Dominion letters patent. The company, which has its head office in Winnipeg, claims further that as the sale of shares was completed in that city, the Saskatchewan law does not apply.

The district Court of Appeal at Yorkton dismissed the company's action to collect on the notes, but this decision was set aside by the Court of Appeal of Saskatchewan, upon which the present appeal was taken to the Supreme Court of Canada.

## Drinking Flapper

## Not Representative

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 19.—The liquor-drinking flapper does not represent the youth of today, who, in large measure, are God-fearing and serious-minded, declared Rev. Francis E. Clark, president of the World's Christian Endeavor Society, in an address before the national council of Congregational churches last night.

"I do not believe," Dr. Clark said, "that the reckless, God-defying minority, however vociferous, represent our young people any more than the \$5,000 people who paid a million and a half dollars for one brutal prizefight represent the American people in general."

## Fair Makes Profit

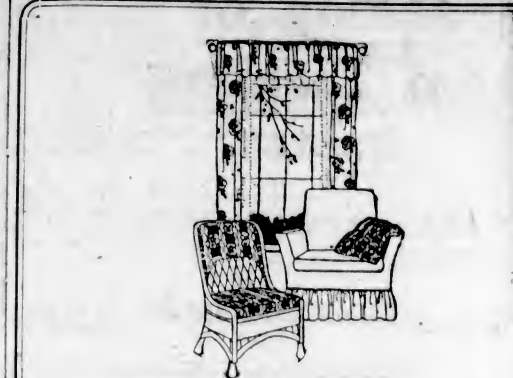
VANCOUVER, Oct. 19.—Vancouver's fair of last August returned a clear profit of \$10,172.35, according to a financial statement submitted by Mr. H. R. Rolston, manager. Revenue amounted to \$78,848 and disbursements totalled \$68,676. Gate receipts were \$24,024. Almost \$28,000 was distributed in prizes.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of October 20, 1873)

New Mail Route.—We desire to direct the attention of the Federal authorities to the claims of Canada for a mail service. It seems quite certain that many hundreds of persons will resort to these attractive mines in the future, and it will be well for the Government to give them a mail service, the expense of which would be by no means large.

Miner's Potatoes.—Frank Campbell has a potato weighing 10 pounds, which was grown by Captain George Rodin at his residence, at the head of Johnson Street. The potato is in the shape of a cross, and is one of the most interesting specimens we have ever seen.



## A New and Exceedingly Attractive Drapery Fabric

This new material is a printed Terry Cloth, in reversible effects that will lend itself admirably for the making of over curtains and window draperies generally. One pattern is in a rose background with green and blue birds and foliage design. It is 36 inches wide and priced, per yard, at \$2.25. Another reversible pattern is in lattice design, in colors of rose and mulberry, on one side and brown and gold on the other; 36 inches wide, per yard \$1.95.

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## MARKED EXPANSION IN CANADIAN TRADE

Volume of Trade Larger, Though Value Shows Some Decline in Deflation in Prices

OTTAWA, Oct. 19.—Canadian trade expansion during the first nine months of 1922-23 was very satisfactory, and indicated a revival of commerce and industry, according to the annual report issued by the Department of Trade and Commerce today.

Though the volume of last year's trade was much in excess of that for the years 1922 and 1921, it was millions of dollars less in value than for these years owing to the deflation of prices. In comparison with a normal pre-war year, 1914, the interchange of merchandise has increased, says the report, about seventy per cent, and, in comparison with 1920, the increase is approximately 240 per cent.

As an example of the deflation in prices, it is pointed out that while the exportation of wheat during the past fiscal year was 215,674,566 bushels, an increase of sixty-six per cent over the export figures of 1921, the valuation showed a decrease of nineteen per cent, from \$510,952,188 to \$322,185,005. The same consideration applies to practically all of Canada's exports. During the last fiscal year, 48,828 automobiles were exported, against 27,000 in 1921, when prices brought a total valuation of \$13,979,121.

Bacon exports showed an increase as between 1922 and 1921 of three per cent in volume, with a decrease of twenty-eight per cent in valuation; cattle, a volume increase of two per cent, as against a financial decrease of fifty-six per cent; wool pulp, an increase of eighteen per cent in tonnage with a cash decrease of forty per cent.

## SEEK FURTHER AIDS TO PREVENT FIRES

WINNIPEG, Oct. 19.—New Federal legislation which will give wider powers in the prosecution of cases investigated by Provincial fire officials will be sought by the fire marshals of Canada. It was declared at the opening meeting of their convention here today.

The present section of the code dealing with such cases was branded as a "joke and utterly unworkable." Educational plans to be carried on through the schools in the prevention of fire, and suggestion of uniform regulations for the handling of gasoline were other topics dealt with during the morning session. Five provinces of Canada were represented in the gathering, which is a feature of the annual convention of fire insurance superintendents now in session here.

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Kellogg's Corn Flakes, per pkg.	10¢	Perfection Brooms, real value, each	69¢
Fresh Herring, tin	9¢	Paraffin Candles, 6 for	10¢
Oxo Cordial, 6-oz. bottle, reg. 50¢, for Limit 6 to customer	35¢		

Split Peas, 2 lbs.	15¢	Libby's Sweet Potatoes, large tin	18¢
Dot Sweet Chocolate, for eating, 1/2-lb. bar	22¢	Gold Medal Tomato Catsup, per bottle	15¢
Col. Skinner's India Relish, large bottle	50¢	Pure Dutch Cocoa, in bulk, per lb.	10¢

Fry's Cocoa, 1/2-lb. tin	24¢	Classic Soap, large white bars, 3 for	16¢
New Prunes, medium size, 4 lbs.	38¢	Arm Chair Corn, 2 large tins	25¢
Genuine Madras Curry Powder, reg. 35¢ tin for	24¢	Sun-Maid Seeded or Seedless Raisins, large pkt.	14¢
Shelled Walnuts, halves, lb.	30¢		
Malt Extract, lb.	30¢		

New Orange and Lemon Peel, just arrived, lb.	30¢	New Glace Cherries, lb.	60¢
Finest Spaghetti, in bulk, just like you would pay 15¢ in pkgs.	24¢	Menthol Salve, reg. 25¢ tin	13¢
Special at, lb.	24¢	Fuller's Earth, 1-lb. pkg.	9¢
Or 25-lb. box for	24¢	Infants' Delight Toilet Soap, reg. 10¢, now 4 for	25¢
Libby's Sweet Gherkins, reg. 50¢ jar for	35¢		

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20 lbs. B. C. Granulated Sugar, value	\$2.15		
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<b>BIG SPECIAL AT CANDY DEPARTMENT</b>			
Puff Balls, a delicious new candy, 50¢ value. To introduce, lb.	33¢	Rum and Butter Toffee, 50¢ value, lb.	35¢
Chocolate Toasties, lb.	40¢	Assorted Satins, reg. 40¢ value, lb.	29¢
Mount Baker Nut Slab, lb.	33¢		

<b>FRUIT SPECIALS</b>			
Sweet Oranges, doz.	20¢	Fresh Quince, 3 lbs.	25¢
Eastern Concord Grapes, large basket	\$1.15	Small Cantaloupe Melons, from Salt Spring, 2 for	25¢
Fancy Jonathan Apples, 3 lbs. for	25¢	Ripe Table Pears, 4 lbs.	25¢
Good Apples, box	95¢		

Peanut Butter, 2 lbs.	35¢	Edam Cheese, lb.	43¢
Government Creamy Butter, lb.	41¢, or 3 lbs.	Reception Mince meat, lb.	25¢
Finest Alberta, lb.	43¢, or 3 lbs. for	Argold Mince meat, lb.	18¢
	\$1.25	Pure Lard, lb.	20¢
		or 3 lbs. for	58¢
Pea Meal Back Bacon, by the piece, per lb.	38¢		

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Fresh Crabs, each	14¢	Fresh Soles, 2 lbs.	25¢

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No. 1 Quality Sirloin Roasts, rolled or not rolled, per lb.	23¢		

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Rump Roast of Beef, per lb.	20¢	Steak and Chops Section	
Shoulders of Local Lamb, per lb.	18¢	Sirloin Steak, per lb.	25¢
Round Steaks, per lb.	24¢	Local Loin Pork Chops, per lb.	38¢
Roast of Beef, per lb.	16¢	Local Lamb Chops, per lb.	35¢
Nice Veal Roasts, per lb.	20¢	Fresh Made Oxford Sausages, 2 lbs. for	25¢
Round Shoulder Pot Roasts, per lb.	9¢		

<b>A FEW SUGGESTIONS FOR SUNDAY'S BREAKFAST</b>			
Fresh Lamb's Liver, per lb.	17¢	Pure Pork Sausages, per lb.	27¢
Fresh Beef Brains, per set	16¢	Little Pig Pork Sausages, lb.	30¢

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## NAVY LEAGUE IS TAGGING TODAY

ORGANIZATION WANTS FUNDS FOR GOOD WORK

Trains Boys for Sea and Does Much to Keep Ancient Traditions of the Race to Fore

An appeal for funds with which to carry on its excellent work is being made by the Victoria branch of the Navy League of Canada, which is holding a tag day today.

The value of the training which the league is giving boys, who will ultimately take their places on British ships and do their part in maintaining the British mercantile marine is fully acknowledged. The league not only carries on this work through its naval brigades, but it also does much to keep alive the traditions which have been built up through the centuries in regard to Britain and the sea. It is continually streamlining the need of training young Canadians for service in ships.

Boys who have been trained in the naval brigades of the league are to be found on many ships sailing from British Columbia. Practical evidence of the value of the organization is continually being provided, and it is to be hoped that the public will give generously to the taggers today.

## TAX SALE RECEIPTS BETTER THIS YEAR

More Money Taken in by City Than in 1922, With Fewer Parcels Offered for Sale

The city's tax sale, which has been going on for several weeks, will end today. City Treasurer E. C. Smith announced yesterday. He has kept the sale alive so long as there appeared reasonable prospects of doing business, but when only one bidder, who purchased two parcels, appeared yesterday, he decided to close out this morning.

Up to yesterday the receipts from this year's sale were a few hundred dollars ahead of those of 1922, although the number of parcels sold was less. The showing made is encouraging in view of the fact that fewer parcels of land were on the sale list this year than in 1922. The amount received this year from the sale up to yesterday was \$22,232.93, as compared with \$21,894.29 last year.

## RAILWAY SPAN WILL BE READY WEDNESDAY

If Bridge Company Approves, City Will Accept Railway Board's Consent to Use Not Asked Yet

The railway portion of the Johnson Street bridge will be ready to be turned over to the city on Wednesday next if approved. City Engineer F. M. Preston announced yesterday. Under an agreement with the Straus Bridge Company, that firm will have to approve of the railway span before the city accepts it.

After the span is taken over the flooring of the bridge approaches with concrete will be carried on and the short stretch of Johnson Street from Wharf Street to the bridge, and also at the western end of the structure, will be ready for use. City Engineer stated yesterday that the concrete would not be ready for traffic for at least three weeks after laying. Its expected the highway portion of the bridge will be ready for use through traffic over the Johnson Street extension by about Christmas. Complaint has been heard from the street car line that the new Johnson Street extension paving by the contractors has become wet by the rain and is annoying to people using the street. The City Engineer, asked about this, explained that the paving had not yet been taken over by the city, which therefore had nothing to do with it. The paving contractors are supposed to have the work finished by the end of this month, but Mr. Preston said that a further extension of time would be required owing to the delay in getting the railway span in use by the railway company.

Last Monday the City Council authorized the drafting of a resolution asking the Railway Board to permit the E. & N. Railway to use the new section of the bridge. This resolution will come up at Monday night's council meeting, and unless the shifting over to the railway span is gone ahead with in anticipation of the consent of the Railway Board, there will apparently be delay while the reply of the board to the council's request is being awaited.

## ITALIAN FORCES DEFEAT REBELS

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Italian columns in Tripoli yesterday attacked a force of 1500 rebels south of Mount Surata, says a Central News dispatch from Rome.

The rebels were dispersed, leaving 440 dead, a large number of wounded and considerable booty. The Italian casualties were ten dead and fifty wounded. Italian airplanes took part in the engagement, bombing rebel batteries.

**Rocked to Death**  
FARRELL, Pa., Oct. 19.—A crane operator was roasted to death in his steel cage and four other men were so badly burned that they died in a hospital, when a cable slipped and pulled seventy tons of molten steel at the Farrell plant of the Carnegie Steel Company last night.

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## City & District

Lands Committee Meets—A meeting of the Reverted Lands Committee of the City Council was held yesterday afternoon and routine business was transacted.

**Private Bill Ready**—The City's private bill, which will go before the coming session of the Legislature, is now off the press. City Solicitor Pringle has completed the petition to the Legislature, incorporating the reasons why the legislation is sought.

**To Make Report**—A request from the trustees of the Victoria Auto Camp that they be allowed to appear before the committee next Friday to give a report upon the camp for the past season was acceded to by the Public Works Committee of the City Council yesterday.

**Court Vista Properties**—On Thursday the members of the Court of Revision visited various properties in order to determine what fair valuation of them would be. About 90 per cent of the appeals have now been heard. There has been no decision yet as to whether any general reduction in assessments will be made.

**To Remove Baskets**—The question of the condition of the flower baskets hanging from the light standards in the business district was raised at the Public Works Committee meeting yesterday and the matter was referred to Mayor Hayward for action. His Worship stated that the baskets would be removed and would be hung again in the Spring.

**Natural History Society**—Mr. J. P. Babcock, who returned from a round-the-world tour several weeks ago, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Natural History Society to be held on Monday evening at Room 401, Jones Building. Mr. Babcock's subject is to be "Babcock," a topic on which he has a wealth of authoritative information, and members and their friends have a cordial invitation to attend.

**Successful Bazaar**—A very successful bazaar was held yesterday afternoon by the Knox Church Mission Band at the church. The tables, displaying attractive goods for sale, were prettily decorated and the affair was opened by Mrs. McKay, Victoria Presbyterian president, who was presented with a bouquet of flowers by Miss Jean Wilson, who also presented a bouquet to Mrs. Laing, Women's Missionary Society president. During the afternoon tea and refreshments were served.

**Would Exchange Land**—When a request of an owner of property on Capitol Street that the city do something to give him access to his property, which lies at the top of a twelve-foot bank, caused by the grading of the street, came before the Public Works Committee yesterday afternoon, Alderman Todd suggested that the land in question be exchanged for some of the city's reverted property instead of any money being spent in providing a way up the face of the cliff. The Reverted Land Commissioner will interview the owner with a view to settling the problem.

**Chinaman Remanded**—The status of an employee under the penal provisions of the Government Liquor Act became a matter of legal contention in the police court yesterday, when Wong Gee Sal, Chan and Wong were charged with having liquor in a place kept for the sale of non-alcoholic beverages. Magistrate Jay held that there was no evidence against the two first-named defendants, and dismissed the charge against them. Mr. A. Alderman, appearing for the defence, raised the contention that the prosecution as against Wong must fail in any case, as the defendant was merely an employee of the place. The case will be on for Monday for further argument on the point.

**Social Afternoon**—A most delightful function was held at the home of Mrs. A. Alderman, Burnside Road, on Wednesday afternoon, to augment the funds of the Ladies' Guild of St. Columba Church, Strawberry Vale. The floral decorations were tastefully carried out by the members of the guild, and most delicious refreshments were supplied by Mrs. Genn and Mrs. Timma, who were the hostesses on this occasion. Mrs. Young, rendered silver numbers during the afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. Cheatham. The silver collection realized a substantial sum, which the ladies propose using to furnish material for the forthcoming Christmas bazaar to be held by the united Anglican churches the last week in November in Spencer's basement.

**Victoria Hospitals Standard**—The two largest Victoria hospitals—the Royal Jubilee and St. Joseph's—are included in the list of six British Columbia hospitals which belong to the over 100-bed standardized class according to the grading of the American College of Surgeons under their hospital standardization plan. These two hospitals are the only ones on the island, in fact, which come within this grade. There are two such hospitals in Vancouver, Vancouver General and St. Paul's; one in New Westminster, the Royal Columbian, and one at Kamloops, the Royal Inland Hospital. Certification of four further hospitals in the 50-bed and upwards class will be given shortly, with certain additions to Jubilee Hospital, Vernon; St. Eugene, Cranbrook; Queen Victoria, Revelstoke, and St. Mary's, New Westminster.

## THE WEATHER

Metereological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 5 P.M., October 19, 1923.

The barometer fell over Northern British Columbia, and rain is extending southward. Wind, light; cold weather is general on the Prairies.

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## HONORED BY QUEEN'S

Judge T. D. Cumberland, of Brandon, Given Degree of LL.D. by Eastern University

Judge T. D. Cumberland, of Brandon, Man., who is very well known in Pacific Coast cities and whose daughter, Mrs. Alan Georgeon, is a resident of Albert Head, was honored at the Fall convocation of Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., yesterday when his Alma Mater conferred upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws (LL.D.). Born at Rosemount, Simcoe County, Ontario, the son of John Cumberland, a pioneer farmer of that province and a Lieutenant of the Ontario militia, Judge Cumberland received his education in the Western Grammar School and at Queen's University. He graduated from the university in 1873 with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, and was the winner of the Prince of Wales prize that year. In 1877 he went to St. Catharines, Ont., to the law firm of Miller, Miller & Cox, and in 1881 he was admitted to

the bar of Ontario. That same year he came to Manitoba and practiced law in Winnipeg for several years. In 1893 he was appointed county judge of the western judicial district, which position he still holds. In 1918 he was chairman of the commission for the revision of Manitoba statutes. Moving to Brandon to reside shortly after his appointment to the bench, Judge Cumberland has been a well-known and highly-respected resident of that city for many years.

## LIFE IN RHODESIA

Mr. Henry Masters Will Give Address at Craighflower School on Early Missionary Efforts

An illustrated lecture on seven years spent in wild Rhodesia will be given at the Craighflower School on Friday, Oct. 26, at 8 p.m., by Mr. Henry Masters, assisted by Mr. John Gough. Mr. Masters was one of the first white men to visit that country, he having decided to become a missionary, and when he arrived at his station, found that the first task facing him was to learn the language spoken by the natives, this being very necessary, otherwise he could not make himself understood. Up to the time this language was unknown to the outside world.

All persons attending the lecture will marvel at the difficulties surmounted, also at the great change in the lives of the natives after Christianity became established. This lecture, through the kindness of Mr. Masters, is being given under the auspices of the Spanish Public Schools Athletic Association, to raise funds for sporting equipment for the Craighflower School.

July, 1923, set a record in business for the Panama Canal.

## The Girl in the Corner Apartment

By MAY CHRISTIE  
Author of "One Clever Year," "The Daring Kid," Etc.

**THE CHARACTERS**  
Cynthia Brent, country girl, living in a New York apartment she has inherited from an old lady she once befriended.  
Ruby Allison, her gay and frivolous friend.  
Alec Kerr, Ruby's fiancé.  
Quentin Gray, an artist friend of Ruby's.  
Aunt Ellen, who keeps house for Cynthia.  
Murray Stewart, for whom Cynthia is working as a stenographer.  
Mrs. Wakeland, friend and hat client of Stewart, who takes a fancy to Cynthia.  
Violet Jerrold, friend of Murray's.

**ACT I—An Invitation**  
"YOU'RE wanted on the telephone, Cynthia."  
Ruby Allison was the speaker—a somewhat disgruntled Ruby, with previsions written on her face.

Cynthia had returned from the office, and had only just removed her coat and hat. "Who is it?" she was still rather unaccustomed to being called up on the telephone, and her fluttering heart wondered if Murray Stewart was at the other end?

Dropping her tones, Ruby answered: "Only that stuck-up cat of a woman, Mrs. Wakeland."  
Cynthia let this pass, and hurried to the instrument.

Five minutes later, she joined Aunt Ellen and Ruby in the sitting-room. They were at the supper-table, and Ruby was concerning herself with toast and an immense cup of tea with an injured air.

"Well, what did she want?" she vouchsafed. "Going to give you another lesson, like that gorgeous ostrich feather fan? You've hypnotized the woman, Cynthia. Or maybe she's using you as a cat's paw to get men to come about the place."

"Nerves" these days, and her impetuous tongue ran away with her a bit.

Aunt Ellen cut in with a gentle: "It's unlike you to be unkind, Ruby. My dear, that remark isn't worthy of you."

Ruby bit her lip. She was all "nerves" these days, and her impetuous tongue ran away with her a bit.

"Well, what did Mrs. Wakeland want?" she repeated her query in a gentler tone.

"She's invited me to a ball. And I feel—sort of like Cinderella. I haven't got the clothes. And I wouldn't know how to act when I got there. Cynthia looked half-puzzled, half-worried.

"Cinderella?" repeated Ruby perkily. "Then am I the ugly sister? I should say Mrs. Wakeland is the fairy godmother, all right!"

Her friend smiled.

"She's a dear. I can't think why she's kind to me."

"Can't you, indeed? I can," commented Ruby, with some asperity. "You're useful to her. Believe me, dearie, no one in this world acts from purely unselfish motives. If she's asked to this ball, it's probably because some man in the party will not come unless you're there."

Cynthia flushed.

"And, of course, you're going?" commented Ruby, curiously.

It was odd that quiet little Cynthia was so attractive, but there must be a "something" in the girl that she—Ruby—didn't understand. Up to the time this language was unknown to the outside world.

"Oh, I don't think so," Cynthia spoke diffidently.

"What ball is it?" inquired Aunt Ellen. She was a kind little woman, and—subconsciously, perhaps, but very genuinely—she adored romance.

Her pretty niece seemed to her simple, loving eyes the sheer embodiment of everything that was lovely and attractive in young womanhood, and frequently at night did she pray for Cynthia's happiness.

"Mrs. Wakeland said it was an ex-service men's ball," came the answer.

"I'll tell you why you're being invited to this ball," said Ruby, quickly. "It's because Murray Stewart held a commission for the last two years of the war. Served as a private first, I believe, and got in very rapidly. Naturally he's keen on looking up his old pals, and—being stuck on you—he wants you included in the party."

This explanation was rapped out with all the crudeness and brusqueness of which Miss Ruby Allison was capable.

The young woman poured out a second cup of tea for herself, and attacked another plate of sardines on toast in a matter-of-fact fashion.

"And you didn't jump at the chance of going to the ball?" she queried. "If so, all I can say is that you're a queer kind of creature. I've thought so all along. Too reserved and standoffish, isn't she, Aunt Ellen?"

"I don't think a young girl loses much by having a certain reserve and dignity about her," was the somewhat unsatisfactory reply to this.

A little pause ensued.

And then, out in the hall, the telephone bell rang again.

Ruby darted to the instrument.

"Hope that's Alec," she muttered under her breath. Her fiancé had kept away from her of late. Indeed, she wasn't perfectly sure that he still considered himself engaged to her. She had "fallen between the stones," as the saying goes, and was at a loose end as to how her future might be filled, for Quentin Gray's attentions had veered round, like a weather-vane, and were now directed towards a rich—grass-widow—who was the owner of a fine, enclosed car, in which the fickle artist was hurrying from his studio to the lady's charming apartment, or to some fashionable restaurant, where the two dined together (the woman paying), and where his wit and charm and attentions were weighed in the balance against an excellent meal, . . . a satisfactory arrangement for himself.

It wasn't Alec at the phone, however, but actually Murray Stewart.

Cynthia was summoned, and Ruby returned to the sitting-room, slaming the door behind her with an impetuosity that rocked the little flat.

Five minutes later Cynthia hung the receiver back upon its hook and gazed into space with happy eyes.

For Murray Stewart had rung up to ask her if she would permit him to be her escort at the military ball, just about a week hence, and to say that Mrs. Wakeland had quite set her heart upon having Cynthia in the party.

And Cynthia—problems of dress and fashion quite forgotten for the moment—had promised she would come.

Tomorrow—Mrs. Wakeland Plays Fairy Godmother

## ORDER OF THE MOOSE

## HOLD ENTERTAINMENT

General Dictator, of Mooseheart, Ill., Pays Visit to Victoria, and Is Guest of Honor

In the neighborhood of five hundred members of the Victoria Lodge, 1330, Loyal Order of Moose, attended the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last night, when an entertainment was held to officially welcome Mr. George N. Ward, of Mooseheart, Illinois, General Dictator of the order.

The meeting was a very pleasant one, and the programme, besides containing several good addresses, provided musical numbers of high order.

Following the playing of "The Maple Leaf" and "The Star-Spangled Banner" by the Moose Band, Mr. C. E. Copeland, Dictator of the Victoria Lodge, introduced Mr. Ward, who was the guest of honor.

The address of welcome was made by Mayor Reginald Hayward. The Mayor referred to the value of such an order as the Order of Moose, not only to its members individually and collectively, but to the community.

Mr. Ward, in his reply, thanked the Mayor, the people of Victoria and his fellow-members of the Order for the welcome the speaker had received, and told of the phenomenal growth of the organization in Canada and the United States. Mooseheart, his headquarters in the United States, he referred to as "the City of Childhood."

It was the home of dependent children of departed members of the Order. Some twelve hundred children were being fed, housed, clothed and educated by the Moose, he said, the average cost of maintaining each child being \$300 a year. This was made possible by a voluntary contribution of \$2 from every member of the Order.

Moosehaven, Mr. Ward described as "the home of the aged and infirm members of the Order, and their wives." It was not the usual "old folks' home," but a place of industry rather than charity. Its upkeep was assured by the Mooseheart Legion, or second degree of the Order, and by the workers of the Mooseheart Lumber Co.

An address was given by Rev. Chas. Davies, D.D., pastor of the Centennial Methodist Church. In his usual cheery and sincere manner, Mr. Davies referred to the great opportunity for the doing of good work through fraternal societies, and he asserted that no organization was more ably carrying out the best interests of such societies than the Loyal Order of Moose.

The musical part of the programme included selections by the Moose Band and several exceedingly beautiful violin solos by Mr. Drury Pryce.

Mr. Ward, the General Dictator, was met yesterday upon his arrival in Victoria by a number of the Victoria executive and taken for an automobile ride to various points of interest in the city and district. Before the entertainment last night he attended the regular meeting of the Victoria Lodge, and following the entertainment he was the guest of honor at a supper party given by the local officers in the New England Cafe.

## WOMEN'S INSTITUTE ASSISTS CRIPPLED

Unfortunate Children Who Come Under Fund Started by the Government Are Aided

In April last the Government started a fund for crippled children, to be used for the benefit of the destitute little cripples within the Province, and a hospital for the treatment of orthopedic diseases was started in Vancouver.

The Women's Institute, whose motto is "For Home and Country," eagerly took up the work, adding it to the other activities along this line, in co-operation with the Government and other organizations. Those interested were much gratified at the receipt of the following letter of approval from Her Excellency Lady Byng, which was addressed to Mrs. H. L. Bayley, secretary and treasurer to the board of directors for the fund, and containing a donation of \$50 towards the work:

"Dear Madame:

"I am directed by Her Excellency the Lady Byng to thank you for acknowledging your letter of September 27 containing an appeal for the fund for crippled children of British Columbia."

"Her Excellency has much pleasure in sending you a donation of \$50, a cheque for which I enclose, and wishes me to congratulate the Central Park Women's Institute on undertaking such an admirable piece of work and to send her best wishes for its success."

Yours faithfully,  
"M. RACHEL WALPOLE," "Private Secretary."

Primarily, the fund is used for destitute crippled children. To these it gives free treatment, but the crippled child whose parents are able to pay for treatment will be charged, though no charge will be excessive. All those afflicted orthopedic cases whose people reside outside the Province will be given friendly assistance and comfort, and to the present thirteen children have been treated, nine of whom have been discharged. One father and mother sent in a joint letter to the board of directors thanking the board for the benefits which their little girl had received from the treatment this fund had made possible.

Of the thirteen treated, six were from that dreaded scourge, infantile paralysis; two had Pott's disease; two hip disease; while there was one case each of curvature of the spine, deformed hand and eye trouble.

Feeble minded children, or those suffering from infectious or contagious diseases, or those hopelessly incurable, will be excluded from the hospital.

The Government grant to the hospital is augmented by donations from the Institutes and other organizations, as well as individual contributions, the Institutes on Vancouver Island having contributed \$1,000 to the fund. This seems small in comparison to the sums raised for other purposes.

While the organization is not begging for help it is hoped that the worthiness of the cause may appeal to lovers of little children, and the words "As you have done it unto these, my brethren, ye have done it unto Me" may not have been spoken in vain.

## JAM SHOWER IS NOW BEING APPEALED FOR

Columbia Diocese W.A. at Monthly Meeting Yesterday Discussed Helpful Philanthropies

At the monthly Board meeting held in St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, yesterday, it was decided to hold a jam shower for the Carcross School, in answer to an appeal for fruit for the school's supply, which is very short this year. Contributions will be received by the Carcross secretary, Mrs. Fatt, at the Christ Church Cathedral schoolrooms on Thursday and Friday of next week, and a generous response is hoped for.

The diocesan president read an interesting account of two scholars from Carcross School, two Eskimo boys from Herschel Island, who are now returning to their native home greatly benefited by their five years' education at the school, and eager to impart their knowledge. Miss Dorothy Dean won enthusiastic approval for her playing of Paderewski's "Polonaise"; and Mr. George Gage delighted the guests with the song, "Good Company."

Following the musical part of the programme the parents proceeded to their children's classrooms, and there discussed with the respective teacher the problems confronting teacher and parent alike in the education of the student. Later, refreshments prepared by the parents, were served in the luncheon room of the school. Mr. S. J. Willis, Superintendent of Education, and members of the School Board were guests of the teachers.

Principal H. H. Smith said that these entertainments were far too frequent during the school term. They were a serious waste of time. They diverted the attention of the students from their work during not only the night of the function itself, but also during the period of anticipation preceding each event. If it were necessary to hold such entertainments, he would ask the parents to see that Friday was the night selected for them.

In the opinion of the teachers, five social entertainments were not so many as to interfere with the studies of the scholars, and that number would be held at the school during the forthcoming term. He hoped that in future the parents would not consider themselves to be unwelcome guests at these affairs, but, rather, would endeavor to attend them in as large numbers as possible.

At the conclusion of the principal's remarks, Mrs. W. A. Jameson, accompanied at the piano by Mr. Ira Dilworth, gave a charming rendition of "I Love Thee, Life," and "Kiss Kiss," a Norwegian folk-song. Miss Dorothy Dean won enthusiastic approval for her playing of Paderewski's "Polonaise"; and Mr. George Gage delighted the guests with the song, "Good Company."

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## PRINCIPAL H. H. SMITH WANTS LESS DANCING

Pupils of High School Asked to Curtail Number of Season's Social Functions



# THE SPORTING WORLD

## Papyrus and Zev to Take Part Today in International Race

Eyes of Sportsmen the World Over Are Focused on Big Turf Classic That Will Be Run at Belmont Park—My Own Is Fit and Prepared to Race Against English Derby Winner

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Salient features concerning the Zev-Papyrus international race tomorrow, follow:  
Place—Belmont Park track.  
Time—4 p.m. (The international race will be fourth on the list of events which get under way at 2:30 o'clock).  
Distance—One and one-half miles.  
Weight—126 pounds.  
Purse—\$100,000 (\$80,000 and a gold cup to the winner; \$20,000 to the loser).

Contestants—Zev, by the Finn-Miss Kearney, Hancock stable, three-year-old, representing the United States; Papyrus, by Tracey-Miss Mattie, Benjamin Irish, three-year-old, representing Great Britain.  
Owners—Harry F. Sinclair, of New York, who bought Zev as a yearling, together with another yearling, for \$12,500; Benjamin Irish, who bought Papyrus as a yearling for \$17,500.

Hurdle and Jumps  
Trainers—Samuel C. Hildreth, who for years has led the list of American trainers, and who developed Zev; Basil Jarvis, one of the most successful of the younger school of English trainers, who has prepared Papyrus for every race in which that horse has entered.

Jockeys—Earl H. Sande, America's premier rider, who will ride Zev; Steve Donoghue, England's leading jockey and five times winner of the English Derby, who will ride Papyrus.  
Racing Colors—Sinclair, white, green collar and cuffs, white cap, Irish, primrose, purple cross sashes, primrose cap.

Admiral Grayson's My Own, which arrived late today at Belmont Park, in response to an emergency call from the Jockey Club, is fit and prepared to run against Papyrus, according to the bay colt's trainer, W. P. Burch.

How They Shape Up  
So far as physical measurements go, Zev, the American horse, and Papyrus, his English opponent, are evenly constructed.

It is probable that Zev is somewhat lighter than last August, the latest figure available, when he weighed 1,370 pounds, thirty more than Papyrus, and generally heavier than three-year-olds in training. Through the heart Papyrus is the stouter.

Their respective measurements are:

	Papyrus	Zev
Height	15 1/2 in.	15 1/2 in.
Birth	1919	1919
Height at birth	23 in.	23 in.
Point of hip	20 in.	20 in.
Point of shoulder	20 in.	20 in.
Point of chest	20 in.	20 in.
Point of neck	20 in.	20 in.
Point of tail	20 in.	20 in.
Forearm	18 in.	18 in.
Withers to point	29 in.	29 in.
Withers to chest	30 in.	30 in.
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The International Challenge Cup, which will be at stake in the \$100,000 international race at Belmont Park, is one of the handsomest trophies ever offered for thoroughbred competition.

Solid Gold Trophy  
The cup is of solid gold, stands about 18 inches high, and weighs about 100 ounces. It is a hand-made copy of a cup fashioned in 1757 during the reign of Queen Anne, a period when racing was most popular and had royal support.

An eagle with outstretched wings, every feather clearly etched, ornaments the top of the trophy, which also bears on one side the arms of the United States. The other side is reserved for the trophy ever donated by the Jockey Club. The cup is designated for perpetual international competition. The Jockey Club will represent the home team in an up-land league game.

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DAVENPORTS OPPOSE LADYSMITH TOMORROW  
NANAIMO, Oct. 19.—The Nanaimo City soccer team goes to Cumberland this week-end to meet the home team in an up-land league game.

Dickenson, who was badly missed from the line-up at Ladysmith last Sunday will be playing at outside right in Sunday's game. Nanaimo will field the following: Goal, Roderick; backs, Linn and Bell; half-backs, McMillan, McDougall, Robertson; forwards, Dickenson, Knight Adams, Appleby, Husband.

A league fixture will be played here on Sunday between the Davenport and the strong Ladysmith eleven, which took the measure of the Dominion champions last Sunday at Ladysmith. Both teams have only lost one game each to date, and the fixture on Sunday promises to be of a hard-fought nature. The Davenport line-up will be as follows: Goal, Jackson; backs, Edmunds and McPagan; half-backs, W. Thompson, T. Zaccarelli, D. Pures; forwards, Jenson, Millburn, Burns, Brown, A. Thompson.

MRS. W.M. GLAHOLM WINS GOLF HONORS

NANAIMO, Oct. 19.—The final of the Ladies' Golf Championship between Mrs. W.M. Glaholm and Mrs. Priestly-Sheldon, was played yesterday and won by the former two up and one down.

At the end of the first round, Mrs. Glaholm was leading by one hole, eventually winning out on the 17th hole by two and one. Last year the cup was won by Mrs. D. M. Grant.

An interesting two-ball mixed foursome has been arranged for Sunday morning between the winners, and eye runners-up of the ladies' and men's championships, Mrs. Glaholm and Dr. Margeson, playing against Mrs. Priestly-Sheldon and McFarlane.

## The Boys Who Will Wear Garrison's Colors



The Garrison boys' rugby team is the fifteen that is expected to make a great bid for the rugby honors of the city this winter. The Tomlinson have a number of excellent players in their ranks, and they hope to give a good account of themselves in their opening match of the season against the Oak Bay Wanderers at 3 o'clock. The members of the team are: (standing in the above picture are as follows): Left to right, back row: "Speedy" Russell, Ward, Wallace, Pendry, Crump, Wingert, McVie and Kelly. Centre: Foster, Coulter, Bates, Brown, Captain Thackeray, Joiner, Watson, Little. Front: Armstrong, Marsh and Elie.

## CARDIFF CITY IS PROBABLE WINNER

CHESEA-WEST HAM CONTEST ATTRACTS INTEREST

Match Between Blackburn Rovers and Manchester City Promises to Prove Feature

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Cardiff City, whose position as league leaders in the first division has been consistently maintained since they climbed into that place, are not likely to be menaced tomorrow in their game with Preston North End. While Cardiff has not yet lost, Preston has not yet won a game.

The runners-up, Notts County, meet Everton. Neither is a strong-scoring team. Bolton Wanderers, third from the top, play the Arsenal, fourth from the bottom. Blackburn Rovers play against Manchester City, an encounter that promises to be a feature in the season. Blackburn has played ten games, with Blackburn winning five and Manchester four.

Newcastle United face Middlesbrough. In the metropolis the game between Chelsea and West Ham will be the first of the season. Their respective situations are unique. In ten games West Ham have scored only five goals with seven against them, while in eleven contests Chelsea have registered only six with eleven against them.

In Second Division

In the second division, South Shields, the leaders, will face Clapton Orient on the latter's ground. Stoke will meet Hull City. Derby County, who did fail to enter senior company next year, will play Southampton. In eleven contests Stoke have won only three.

In the Scottish League, Glasgow Rangers play Hibernians. The latter, who sit top of the table and have not yet lost a game, will face Celtic, who are chasing the leaders closely. In the Scottish League, Dundee will furnish a test that may not be all to the advantage of the former. Celtic and Hibernians will face each other for the first time this year. Clydebank, the runners-up, play Hamilton, who are only two notches up the scale.

LONDON SCOTTISH OPPOSE BLACKHEATH

Feature Game in English Rugby Union Today—Watsonians Play Heretics in Scottish Division

LONDON, Oct. 19.—The feature game under the rugby union auspices tomorrow takes place in the metropolis, when London Scottish, who have won the last two consecutive wins, entertain Blackheath. The latter, who have won the last two consecutive wins, entertain Blackheath. The latter, who have won the last two consecutive wins, entertain Blackheath.

In the Scottish Union the battle of the day will be between the ancient Edinburgh rivals, Watsonians and Heretics.

George Sisler's Eyes Nearly Normal Now

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—George Sisler, first baseman of the St. Louis Americans, who was forced into idleness this season because of defective vision, will play again next year, according to word received by Stan Johnson, American League president, from Walter Pritch, vice-president of the St. Louis team.

Sisler's vision has gone from thirty-two points to within four of normal, and doctors in charge of the case hope to pronounce him completely recovered within a short time, Pritch said.

One of Sisler's eyes became defective after an attack of influenza last winter.

KAYOES SID MARKS IN FIFTH ROUND

VANCOUVER, Oct. 19.—Young Carmen, of California, knocked out Sid Marks, of Winnipeg, champion of the Canadian lightweight championship here, tonight in the fifth round of a scheduled ten-round go. Carmen lived in every round.

Marks was knocked down three times in the fourth and twice in the last round before Carmen landed a short right hook to the jaw which finished the bout.

## Will Ask Victoria Members in House To Support Scheme

Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, Will be Requested to Set Date for Representatives of Athletic Bodies of Province to Urge Upon Cabinet Reasons Why Amusement Tax on Amateur Sports Should be Abolished

THE Victoria members of the Provincial Legislature, Premier Oliver, Hon. John Hart, Mr. Joshua Hinchcliffe and Mr. Joseph Clearline will be interviewed during the course of the next few days and their support enlisted in the campaign to have the Provincial Legislature abolish the ten per cent amusement tax on gate receipts of all amateur games, while Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, will be requested to set a date when the Cabinet will hear a delegation representative of all forms of athletics and sport in the province, place before it its petition that the said amusement tax, in so far as it applies to amateur matches, be removed.

These latest developments became known last night, after the Victoria committee, consisting of Messrs. James Adam, Alex. Robertson, Percy Watson, Gordon Cameron and Bird, which was appointed a mass meeting of sportsmen here recently to coordinate the work of the local people with that undertaken in the larger cities throughout the Province, met and discussed the situation here.

Mr. Alex. Robertson, president of the British Columbia Football Association and head of the Victoria and District Football body, stated to The Colonist last night that reports coming in from all over the Province indicated that sporting organizations throughout British Columbia are swinging behind the campaign to have the ten per cent amusement tax on amateur sports entirely done away with.

SPORT BODIES AID FIRST

In speaking of the petition that it had been intended to have circulated among the general public in support of the move to have the amusement tax affecting sports abolished, Mr. Robertson said that he didn't think that it would be necessary to have to go that far. Every athletic organization is being written to, and the said bodies are requested to return a letter signed by the president and secretary of the respective organization, stating that it was heartily in support of the proposal. If, however, these letters will prove insufficient to satisfy the power that the people want the tax removed, then the athletic bodies will secure petitions and obtain signatures of the many thousands who favor amateur sports being exempted from the application of the amusement tax, Mr. Robertson said.

The Victoria committee delegated Mr. Robertson to attend a meeting of the Mainland committee on Sunday morning in Vancouver, when arrangements will be completed for the deputation that will approach the Government probably some day next week.

Mainland's Endorsement

"Heartily endorsement of the plan to petition the Provincial Government for the cancellation of the amusement tax on amateur sports has been expressed by nearly every organization of the Mainland this week.

In addition to securing expressions of opinion from the various sports organizations of the Mainland, the committee has interviewed many prominent members of the community during the past week.

Captain Ian Mackenzie, J. W. deB. Farrie, R. H. Neelands and J. Ramon, former Vancouver members in the Provincial House, have expressed themselves in favor of the move and will give it their support at Victoria.

"I am pleased to lend my support to anything which will keep the young fellows out of the corner pool-rooms and 'cigar stands,'" declared James Ramsay, M.L.A., a member of the committee, "and I believe there is nothing better than clean amateur sport for that purpose."

Easily Retains Title

WINNIPEG, Oct. 19.—Jack Taylor, Canadian heavyweight wrestling champion, made short work of Tom Johnston, a local policeman, in a title match here last night, throwing the "cop" in 2:45 and 1:45.

## RIoux GETS HIT

MONTREAL, Oct. 19.—At a contest put on at the Mount Royal Arena here tonight, Elsie Rioux, French-Canadian, a heavy-weight, sustained much punishment in his ten-round bout with Skinner, of Scotland, and the referee stopped the fight in the fifth round. Rioux came out of the battle with a broken nose, a broken jaw, and a severe cut on the temple.

## LEAGUE MATCHES OPENING TODAY

INTERMEDIATE RUGBY TEAMS PLAY INITIAL GAMES

Oak Bay Wanderers to Meet Normal School, and J.B.A.A. Will Visit Brentwood College

The Intermediate Rugby League opens today when the Normal School, last year's champions, meet the Oak Bay Wanderers at Oak Bay and the J.B.A.A. meet the Brentwood College at the Brentwood Grounds, both games starting at 3 o'clock.

This is the first year that the Brentwood College has entered into the league, owing to the fact that the college was organized only last year. The other three teams have been the mainstays of the league for the last three years. There is little doubt concerning the class of rugby which will be played, as all the teams have been in hard training for the past month, and the players are very keen to get started. Each team has a large number of players on its roster, and for the first time in a number of years the committees of the various clubs will have a large number to choose from.

Last year the intermediate games were a pleasure to watch as the boys were keen, enthusiastic, and had been drilled in the finer points of the game. The senior teams could well take many lessons from the intermediates, the most noticeable one being that there is no talking on the field, the boys having the sense to leave the talking to the captain and thus preserving their wind for the game.

Normal vs. J.B.A.A.

It is absolutely necessary that support be given to the intermediates, otherwise the senior teams will have no source of supply to draw on, and reading this the Rugby Union is giving them every assistance.

The teams will line up as follows: Oak Bay Wanderers: Normal School: Forward..... Morrison; Half-back..... Aldrich; Half-back..... Forward..... J. Hough; Half-back..... Forward..... Houghton; Half-back..... Forward..... Haman; Half-back..... Forward..... Leach; Half-back..... Forward..... Thorburn; Half-back..... Forward..... Hamble; Half-back..... Forward..... Dick; Half-back..... Forward..... Meek; Half-back..... Forward..... Hoadley; Half-back..... Forward..... Goodacre; Half-back..... Forward..... Wenman; Half-back..... Forward..... Maynard; Half-back..... Forward..... Porman; Half-back..... Forward..... Collison; Half-back..... Forward..... Commander Nixon.

Referee at the Oak Bay game—Gordon Campbell.

The schedule of games in the Intermediate Rugby Football League is as follows:

First Round

Oct. 20.—Normal School vs. Oak Bay Wanderers, at Oak Bay.

Oct. 21.—Oak Bay Wanderers vs. J.B.A.A., at Oak Bay.

Oct. 22.—J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School, at Oak Bay.

Oct. 23.—Oak Bay Wanderers vs. Oak Bay Wanderers, at Oak Bay.

Oct. 24.—Brentwood vs. Normal School, J.B.A.A. vs. Oak Bay Wanderers.

Oct. 25.—Normal School vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Oak Bay Wanderers vs. Brentwood.

Oct. 26.—Brentwood vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Oak Bay Wanderers.

Oct. 27.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

Oct. 28.—Brentwood vs. Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School.

Oct. 29.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

Oct. 30.—Brentwood vs. Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School.

Oct. 31.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

Nov. 1.—Brentwood vs. Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School.

Nov. 2.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

Nov. 3.—Brentwood vs. Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School.

Nov. 4.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

Nov. 5.—Brentwood vs. Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School.

Nov. 6.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

Nov. 7.—Brentwood vs. Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School.

Nov. 8.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

Nov. 9.—Brentwood vs. Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School.

Nov. 10.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

Nov. 11.—Brentwood vs. Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School.

Nov. 12.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

Nov. 13.—Brentwood vs. Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School.

Nov. 14.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A. vs. Normal School vs. Brentwood.

## RUGBY SEASON STARTS TODAY

Senior Contest Between Oak Bay Wanderers and Garrison Will Be Played at Willows Grounds

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR WILL KICK OFF BALL

Brentwood College Will Face Bays, While Oak Bay Wanderers and Normal School Will Be Opponents

When His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Michol kicks off the ball starting the rugby match this afternoon, between the Oak Bay Wanderers and the Garrison fifteen, he will also be starting in action the 1923-24 rugby season in Victoria. The senior game today will be played at 3 o'clock at the Willows grounds, where a large number of supporters of the sport are expected to gather and witness the two teams battle for supremacy. Two intermediate games are also included on today's card, so devotees of the game will have ample opportunity of witnessing one of the three games scheduled.

The Oak Bay Wanderers and the Garrison are expected to stage a keen fight at the Willows grounds this afternoon. The Garrison fifteen, who are starting in action the 1923-24 rugby season in Victoria, are expected to give each other a strong run in its hope of clinching victory. The players on both fifteen have been putting on the finishing touches in the training period, and feel ready for the grueling contest today.

Both the Garrison and Oak Bay Wanderers have good material on their roster, and can be expected to give good accounts of themselves. There are two other teams in the Victoria Rugby Football League, namely the James Bay Athletic Association and the Navy fifteen. These aggregations will not get into the league fight until next Saturday, when they will be played in the senior division. Today's programme of rugby matches is as follows:

Today's Rugby Card

Senior League

Garrison vs. Oak Bay Wanderers at the Willows track. Referee, Hill Ellis.

Intermediate League

Normal School vs. Oak Bay Wanderers at Oak Bay. Referee, Gordon Campbell.

J.B.A.A. vs. Brentwood College at Brentwood. Referee, Commander Nixon.

All games will start promptly at 3 o'clock and the team managers are asked to have their players on the field promptly so that no delays will be experienced.

Two matches will be played in the intermediate section, one of them being at Brentwood, where the Brentwood College boys will try conclusions with the J.B.A.A. Intermediate matches in the next few months will be between the Normal School and the Oak Bay Wanderers, and a large number of the supporters of both teams undoubtedly will be present.

Officials of the Victoria Rugby Football Union believe that rugby will have the best season for many years in Victoria during the next few months, and with the support of the public, there is no reason why such cannot be the case. Competition between the clubs is keen.

The Schedule

The four teams in the senior league are all determined to win the Harward Cup this season. The schedule in the senior league, which opens today, is as follows:

October 20.—Oak Bay vs. Garrison.

October 21.—J.B.A.A. vs. Oak Bay.

October 22.—Oak Bay vs. Garrison.

October 23.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A.

October 24.—Oak Bay vs. Garrison.

October 25.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A.

October 26.—Oak Bay vs. Garrison.

October 27.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A.

October 28.—Oak Bay vs. Garrison.

October 29.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A.

October 30.—Oak Bay vs. Garrison.

October 31.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A.

November 1.—Oak Bay vs. Garrison.

November 2.—Oak Bay vs. J.B.A.A.

November 3.—Oak Bay vs. Garrison.

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November 15.—Oak Bay vs. Garrison.

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## Johnny Dundee Plans Taking In England

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Johnny Dundee has hopped off for Hot Springs, where he plans to put in a few weeks of training. Then, according to the announcement, he is going to sail away across the ocean with the idea of taking a fall out of Harry Mason, the English lightweight champion, in December. The trip also will give the featherweight champion an opportunity to visit his native Italy, and perhaps he will visit France to give Eugene Criqui a return bout before he comes back home.

Meantime, Bill DeFoe, of St. Paul, and Henry Vaizer, of this metropolis, will try to get a notch nearer a match with Johnny in a local mill next Tuesday night.

## How Bobby Jones Became Golf's Greatest Genius

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### CHAPTER XII

Bobby Jones: The Boy—and the Golfer.

(By O. H. Keeler)

I am not likely to forget the first thing I heard Bobby say, after he became national open champion. He was sitting on the steps of the lawood Club House, waiting for the U.S.G.A. officials, and the camera men and the vast assembly to get set for the presentation. He was solemn, and he looked 45 years old, and his eyes were an inch back in his head. But on this face was a vast content.

"Well, Bobby?" said I, finding it somehow hard to talk.

"Well—I don't care what happens now," said the open champion. And he said a lot, in that short statement. It meant that the long hike was over. It meant he had broken through. It meant that no miracle round now could take that medal from him and that quiet old cup. It meant that Fortune had smiled at last—that nobody ever would say again, "He's a great golfer—but he can't win."

The long lane had turned.

Going south in a little compartment of a Pullman car—going home with the bacon at last—Bobby said another thing I love to think about. I asked him to see the ball with which he won the play-off. He fished it out of his old suitcase, and with it a leather box containing the great gold medal of championship.

Bobby opened the box and looked at the medal, turning it this way and that, perhaps thirty seconds. Then he looked up and said:

"Do you know, it's hard as the devil to get one of these things!"

I think I do know.

Seven Years His Senior

So Bobby came home with the big cup, seven years older than he, and the gold medal of championship, and a placid soul. And his head, which fitted a 74 that when he was seven years old was not the least bit bigger—and it is not going to grow any bigger.

Great a golfer as Bobby Jones is—and they are all saying now what George Duncan said two years ago, that he's the greatest golfer in the world—Bobby Jones is a greater boy.

His fellow-townsmen to the number of two thousand met him at the train with a roaring welcome and a brass band. His own club gave him a tremendous dinner party at East Lake and a silver service. He was dined and luncheoned and made speeches about and everything. He did his best to reply, but if he is an open champion at golf he surely is a closed champion at oratory. He could just thank everybody; that was all. It was easy to see he was wondering why they were making so much fuss over him.

It wasn't all because he was an open champion. Some of the speech-makers got it right—it was mostly because of Bobby Jones.

He's not the sort of player who ever reaches self-satisfaction.

After winning at Inwood in 1923 he went home and began experimenting with a new style of putting, which department of his game is conceded to be the weakest—indeed his only weakness.

"He picks out a Model," said Bobby, "that I have been putting a different way about every month—almost every round, it seems to me sometimes. I decided that the only help for me was to pick out one style and stick to it. I played two

rounds with Walter Hagen at Skokie last year and two rounds with him at Inwood this year. Walter is a very fine putter and I watched him pretty closely. I decided he was a good putter."

"So I changed my stance, getting the weight well forward on my left foot, with the feet well apart. That helped some, but I still was off the line a good deal. Then Stewart Maiden suggested that I swing my hands a bit more and restrict the pendulum motion of the wrists correspondingly."

"My next round was a little exhibition match at Newman, Ga. I shot 24-32—47 on a par 72 course, and used only 28 putts, taking only 12 on the last nine greens. I actually got down one 34-footer, something that hadn't happened to me in so long I nearly fainted. Of course, I haven't putted that well right along, but in the next week the next round I had cost me only 31 putts. I think I will stick to this system."

It is a most easy thing to write about Bobby Jones, the leading stylist in golf, and to explain that the reason for his success at medal play is because his method is so sound and his style so effective that when he slips he does not slip as far as other golfers and that when he has won he does not come all apart.

Never Below 70 or Above 78

It is easy (now he has won) to explain that while he never has gone below 70 in a national open championship, he never has gone above 78, due to his inherent soundness gained while he was Stewart Maiden's student in the old days at East Lake. It is easy, even—since he has won—to say that he is too good a golfer to be a lucky golfer, which I honestly believe to be the case.

It is a pleasure to pick out and depict the characteristics of his style: almost square stance, feet very close together; hands held low and close to his knickers; right hand more on top of the club than that of any other "crack" golfer—except Killie Maidan; upright, compact swing; the ball nearly opposite the left heel for normal full shots and nearly off the right heel for his famous knock-down or push shot, which I regard as his leading characteristic with the iron.

It is impossible, of course, for the eye or the camera lens to uncover the beautiful timing of his shots, though both may perceive something of the rhythm of his swing and the vast power flowing smoothly through him.

"He gets his right side into his big shots more than any other golfer I ever saw," said Chick Evans in 1914, explaining the prodigious range Bobby enjoyed from the two.

It is pleasant to pick out these little details for golfers.

It would be even more pleasant to write of Bobby Jones, himself. If that could be done as surely, but you can't pick out the details of a win some personality or properly hold up for inspection the graces of modesty and the strong heart. Besides, good-natured as Bobby Jones is, he would be furious if any chronicler who knew him should attempt anything like that.

Go Back to School Again

Bobby Jones, national open champion, has gone back to school again. Just as Bobby Jones, who hadn't attended school since he was 14, was preparing himself for the profession of the law, understanding well that golf isn't all of life for the amateur golfer. And, winning, he is just the same Bobby Jones as he was two years ago—a year ago—George

Duncan and others were calling him, the golfer of the future.

At Inwood he turned up the hands of the clock and stepped out as the golfer of the present. But past and present and future he remains always—Bobby Jones.

The End.

## ATHLETES GATHER IN SASKATCHEWAN

Manitoba Is Favored to Win Annual Meet of Western Universities—B.C. Team Represented

SASKATOON, Oct. 19.—Athletes from the Universities of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia will compete here tomorrow in the fourth annual intercollegiate track and field meet of the Western States. It will be the first time the coast university has been represented at the meet.

Manitoba, winner for three successive years, is strongly favored to win again this year, the other universities conceding this team the victory, but their competition will be much keener, for Saskatchewan and Alberta are greatly strengthened.

The British Columbia team of five men arrived here Thursday night.

## Soccer Notes

By A. B. Brown

Names of League Clubs

It is a noteworthy fact that the major portion of English league clubs had a tendency to name their teams when they were formed along very set lines. In the three divisions, comprising eight-eight clubs, there are no fewer than eleven with the designation of City, eight called United, seven with Town after the place of their origination, while Rovers in four, Athletic in three and Wanderers and Albion in two apiece. The detail follows:

City—Cardiff, Manchester, Coventry, Hull, Leicester, Bradford, Bristol, Lincoln, Durham, Exeter and Norwich.

United—Sheffield, Leeds, Newcastle, Manchester, Hartlepool, Southend, West Ham and Bournemouth.

Town—Huddersfield, Halifax, Luton, Swansea, Merthyr, Rotherham and Newport.

County—Notts, Derby, Stockport, Rotherham and Newport.

Bristol and Doncaster, Tranmere, Athletic—Oldham, Aberdare and Charlton.

Wanderers—Bolton and Wolverhampton.

Albion—West Bromwich and Brighton and Hove.

There are other clubs with designations, such as the Victoria, the Arkley of Plymouth, the Forest of Notts, the Orient of Clapton, the Wednesday of Sheffield, and so on.

Player Acquired

J. R. Smith, the Bolton Wanderers' crack center-forward, who was paid off the field for fighting during a game between his club and Sheffield United, was acquired by the emerging team of the Football League on the grounds that he was incapable, through injuries, of knowing what he was doing.

Following a nice point as to whether half of the players are in the meantime in regular harness are quite certain of what they are doing when they get a little heated up.

Follow-up—For and Against

Following Captain's request on behalf of his colleagues that the Celtic should pay a bonus similar to that which the English soccer players receive for a win or a draw, a heated controversy has arisen as to the advantages or otherwise of this system.

Many famous players, including Joe McCall of Preston North End, and McKinlay, of Liverpool, believe that the bonus is responsible for the decline in really clever football, while others, including Peter McWilliams of the Tottenham Hotspurs (manager) and Frank Baxton (Manchester United center half) are all for the bonus, and say that it has made keener play.

Players Over-Trained

Already some of the leading Old Juniors have a lengthy list of injured players, and several are wondering if modern training methods are conducive to players withstanding the rough and tumble of football.

The famous doctor connected with a big league club, when asked for his opinion, said:

"The players are over-trained and the least jar is apt to play havoc with their 'too' hant, and the famous players are crooked from causes which a city clerk would laugh at."

Money Not Everything

The announcement that Gilchrist, the ex-Celtic and Scottish International half-back of Preston North End, has been placed on the transfer list, serves to emphasize that the expenditure of a fortune on building up a football team does not necessarily lead to success.

It is estimated that something like £20,000 has been spent in transfers by Preston since the war. They paid a record price for full-back Hamilton, £4,000 for Quinlan, £3,000 for Gilchrist and Laird, while Branton and Ferris were also expensive purchases. Yet Preston North End is the only club, out of 88 in the English League, without a win this season.

Supporters are clamoring for the return of Joe McCall, the famous center half, who practically cost the club nothing, and who for years was one of the finest international players of his day.

## Columbia and Henry Ford to Race Sunday

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 19.—An elimination race to choose an American challenger for the international fishermen's race will be sailed off Gloucester on Sunday, the American race committee decided tonight.

The entire race will be the new schooner Columbia and the Henry Ford, which was defeated off Gloucester last year by the Nova Scotia vessel Bluenose.

## NANAIMO GOLF CLUB BUILDS NEW QUARTERS

NANAIMO, Oct. 19.—The golf club has let a contract for a \$1,000 clubhouse which will be erected close to the present number five green. The building is expected to be completed in time for a Yuletide house-warming party and a New Year's dance.

## FOUR FOOTBALL MATCHES TODAY

Chief Interest Centres in Soccer Battle Between Victoria Wests and North Wards at Royal Athletic Park

VETS MEET MOOSE AT BEACON HILL GROUNDS

Esquimalt and Naval Men Will Play at Canteen Quarters, While Central Park Will Be Scene of Junior Scrap

Senior Division

Victoria Wests ..... 2 2 0 0 4  
Veterans ..... 2 1 0 1 3  
Sons of England ..... 1 1 1 1 3  
Moose ..... 1 1 0 1 2  
Navy ..... 3 0 3 0 0  
Esquimalt ..... 2 0 2 0 0  
North Wards ..... 0 0 0 0 0

Junior Division

High School ..... 1 1 0 0 2  
Oaklands ..... 1 0 1 0 0  
Sanich Thistles ..... 0 0 0 0 0

The second week in the Victoria Football League will be ushered in today, with three soccer matches on the programme this afternoon for the entertainment of local devotees of the sport. Chief interest centres on the Wests-Veterans battle at Royal Athletic Park, which will bring together after a lengthy lapse of time veteran rivals. Both teams are confident of humbling one another, and a very good and interesting battle is being looked forward to.

The Greenhairs are at present topping the local senior division, having two wins, counting four points, to their credit. The Veterans and Sons of England are next in line, these teams being tied for second place, each of them possessing three points. The Wests are determined to win their contest today, although they are aware of the fact that the Wards will put up a hard fight to gain the spoils of victory.

Wards Back in Action

Victoria Wards will be seen in action today for the first time this season. This team has taken the place of the Central Park, which has succeeded in having its name changed. The Wards will have such players as Albie McGregor, Angle McInnes and E. Taylor to help them along in their quest of success. Art Haynes, who tended the Wards' goal in days gone by, will be at his accustomed stand at the Royal Athletic Park today.

Today's soccer matches will be as follows:

Senior Division  
North Wards vs. Victoria Wests, at the Royal Athletic Park; referee, Lock; kick off at 3 p.m.

Moose vs. Veterans, at Beacon Hill; referee, Robbins; kick off at 3 p.m.

Esquimalt vs. Navy, at the Canteen grounds; referee, Payne; kick off at 3:15 p.m.

Sons of England, a bye.

Junior Division  
Sanich Thistles vs. Oaklands, at Central Park; referee, Cull; kick off at 3:30 p.m.

Several teams will now compete for the local football laurels in the senior division, the second division having been absorbed by the first division owing to lack of more than two entries having been received. The Moose trimmed Esquimalt last week, while Veterans fought Sons of England to a 1-1 draw. Today at Beacon Hill the Veterans will clash with the Moose, and a good, spirited contest is expected. The soldiers are very eager to jump ahead of the Wests in the league race and will be hard to cop the honors this afternoon. However, the Moose claim that they will have something to say about the matter, so the argument promises to be interesting.

Esquimalt Faces Naval Men

The other game will be played between Esquimalt and the Navy at the Canteen grounds. The Navy has suffered three reverses, while Esquimalt, which has figured in two matches, has yet to bag a victory. Both teams have been training hard for the contest, and undoubtedly there will not be many opportunities allowed to slip by either squad during the fray. Oaklands and the Sanich Thistles will meet at Central Park today at 2:30 o'clock, in a junior league fixture.

The teams will be as follows:  
Victoria Wests—Shandley; C. Baker and S. Sherritt; Wale, Thomas and Popham; J. Sherratt, Mulcahy, Peden, and W. Shandley.  
Moose—Pearce; Merritt and Bray; A. Hole, H. Moulton and F. Moulton; McCabe, Quinlan, Cummins, Allan, and McKinnon; reeves, Hancock, Dundas, Kerr and Hole. Players to meet at Mets parlors at 2:15.

North Wards—Raynes; Taylor and Bell; McKinnon, Tobby and McGregor; Tobby, Mahon, Houden, Campbell and McInnes.  
Esquimalt—Miller; Meagher and Carmichael; Watt, Jones and Sherwood; Stewart, T. Watt, Huggles, Hendie and Frampton.

Veterans—The following players are requested to be at the dressing room, Veterans of France, Douglas Street, at 2:15: Leeming, Rickenson, Burton, Gyl, Owens, Row, Clarkson, Merfield, Campbell, Hood, Brynjolfsson, Roberts and Shillingford. Conveyances will leave sharp at 2:45 for the grounds.

Oaklands—Easler, Hogan, Crow, Campbell, J. Taylor, Kay, Armstrong, Knight, Davis, Rumble, Macdonald, Collier, Heal and Viggers. All players are requested to be on hand at 2:15 o'clock sharp at Central Park.

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pathy with the idea and promised to lay the matter before his colleagues in the cabinet.

Giving Organ Recital—Miss Marguerite McKay, a pupil of Mr. G. Jennings Burnett, is to take the principal part in the organ recital programme to be given at St. Andrew's Cathedral on Monday evening, October 22. Mr. Burnett himself will also contribute a group of organ numbers, and vocal numbers will be given by Miss Eva Hart and Mr. J. G. Gillan. The proceeds of the silver collection to be taken will be given to the Red Cross Society for the fund which they are making on behalf of the Japanese earthquake victims.

Reports Received That River Is Well Stocked With Trout Just Now, and Good Catches Reported

From Sooke come reports that trout are running in quantity in Sooke River. Major Nicholson is reported to have taken nine in an hour and a half yesterday morning, ranging from half a pound to two and a half pounds. Success attends the use of the bucktail fly or the number four Cowichan spoon. Baskets of eight or ten are easily taken.

EMPIRE SHOOTING

OTTAWA, Oct. 19.—The proposal to hold an Empire shooting competition on the Connaught Rifle Ranges, near here, in 1925, was placed before Hon. E. M. Macdonald, Minister of Defence, yesterday, by a delegation representing the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association.

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## At the Playhouses

## NEWSIES ARE GUESTS OF MACY AND BAIRD

"Why William Went to France" Receives Tumultuous Ovation at Pantages Theatre

"Why William Went to France" was the screamingly funny comedy enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience last night at Pantages. In addition to the many admirers of Macy and Baird productions, the gallery was filled to capacity with enthusiastic "newsies" who showed in no small or uncertain manner their delight at the performance. The newspaper carriers were the guests of the company, and if their unstinted applause was accepted by the actors as evidence of their guests' sincere thanks for the entertainment, the generous invitation was gratefully acknowledged.

The farce was one of the most ludicrous plays seen here for a long time. How two hills—or Williams, as their wits termed them—could become so hopelessly entangled in each other's true identity was the gist of the comedy, which simply bubbled over with absurd situations, and inane excuses which in the end only served to thicken the plot.

Caught in a gambling den on the eve of his marriage, William Fuller, excellently played by Mr. Harold P. Macy, tried to avoid publicity, and seeing in the paper that General William Fuller (Mr. Allan Wisheart) was leaving for overseas, he decided to go to France—to all outward appearances, and in reality, to journey to Duncan for three months, when he returned as the honored guest, at a large reception. Unfortunately for all, the real general also returned at that time from France, saw that a reception was arranged in his honor, and insisted on being present. The mystery grew beyond all bounds when two Mrs. Fullers appeared on the scene, each claiming to be the wife of General William Fuller.

How the two Williams finally cleared up the situation makes the concluding act of the play most interesting. The comedy was repeated this afternoon and evening. Mr. "Speck" Leitch was seen in the role of Chris Cutting, adviser to the William Fuller of gambling tendencies; while Mr. Elmer Watson took the part of Ned Hemingway, and Mr. P. A. Dale that of Dr. Elsie Hastings. Mr. John Dale appeared as Zack Catcher.

The ladies of the cast were the most charming gowns. Miss Jean Rose was very pretty as Dorothy here, and Miss Margaret Bronson acted the role of Belle Deane with much vivacity. Miss Ruth Nage appeared as Mrs. (General) Fuller and Miss Zoe Bates as Harriet Sterling.

CAPITOL American tourists who have visited the beauty spots of England, the ancient castles, historic cities and picturesque villages, will find many familiar sights when "If Winter Comes," the William Fox pictorial depiction of A. S. M. Hutchinson's celebrated novel, is shown at Capitol Theatre for the last time today. In it are innumerable bits of English life and interesting portrayals of British habits and customs. The courtroom at Tidborough, where Mark Sabre is tried for the death of Effie Bright, is an exact replica of an English court. The dock, jury box and prisoner's dock, which differ materially from those used in the United States, are exactly as may be found in the dock house of the United Kingdom. The room that was built by William Fox for the trial of Sabre is of imposing dimensions and has all the appointments of the British courts of justice.

COLUMBIA Patrons of the motion picture theatre do not have to be told much about James Kirkwood, once tried to hide from his many enthusiastic followers by becoming a director, but the many letters he received determined him to return to the screen as an actor. It will be good news for Kirkwood "fans" to learn that he has one of the finest roles in his career in the new Goldwyn production, "The Sin Flood," now playing at the Columbia Theatre. Mr. Kirkwood is seen as an itinerant preacher who has lost his pulpit. With the conquering of the weakness that held him in thrall to appetite, he becomes a power for good in the community. The characterization presented by Mr. Kirkwood is a masterly interpretation.

DOMINION One of the most distinguished guinea pigs as well as one of the most fortunate gentlemen of the screen is David Powell, who plays an extremely effective role in the distinctive Pictorial Corporation's latest, George Arliss production, "The Green Goddess." In this much-anticipated picture, which is showing at the Dominion Theatre for the last time today, Mr. Powell plays opposite the gorgeously beautiful Alice Joyce. Needless to say, such a task requires the aforementioned distinguished attributes; and it is also needless to point out why a man who is permitted to make love to Alice Joyce, even if it is only on the screen, is styled fortunate. It is a known fact that the worshippers of feminine screen celebrities are extremely hard to please. That is why, there are but few men they will accept as being worthy of their idols. For that reason a producer who

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## AMUSEMENTS

The Screen  
Capitol—"If Winter Comes," starring Percy Marmont.  
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Dominion—George Arliss in "The Green Goddess."  
Royal—"The Sporting Earl," featuring Victor Herbert.

The Stage  
Pantages—"Why William Went to France."  
Playhouse—"The Admirable Crichton."

wishes actually to convince his audience that the heroine could really love the hero must choose the latter with no little care. David Powell has been pictured as inspiring the love of no less a list of beauties than Mary Pickford, Elsie Ferguson, Irene Castle, Hilma Burke, Miss Murray, Alice Brady, Dorothy Dalton and Gloria Swanson. In no instance has he been found wanting.

ROYAL "The Sporting Earl," THEATRE which will be the attraction at the Royal for the last time today, is a picture which is a round of laughs, action, fun and excitement. The Sporting Earl is a nephew of the eccentric Sir Horace Pilkington, baronet, who dies leaving him his racing stable without a penny to run it with. But the stables hold two of the greatest horses of that time, Cheeroo Art a Mo and Quicksilver. In the story, the Sporting Earl's stables are sent up in flames, and the Earl's bread-winners are saved after a fight with half a dozen desperadoes. The story is full of thrills and comedy, and is one of the big successes of the season.

## REPEAT PROGRAMME AT SEMPLE'S HALL

West End Players Last Evening Gave Second and Final Performance of "Yamma Hoo Club"

The West End Players repeated their popular performance of "The Yamma Hoo Club" last evening at Semple's Hall, carrying out the programme practically as on the previous night. The audience greatly enjoyed the production and gave its applause unflinchingly to the various acts, whether dramatic, vocal or terpsichorean. Mrs. Rosa Semple's achievements as a playwright received their due recognition in the reception given her two-act playlet.

The personnel of the choruses in the specialties of Act II was as follows:  
Plapper chorus: "O, Harold!" Marjorie Colby, Doreen Davis, Mona Jewel, Lillian Baker, Enid Ruddock, Mary Foyer, A. C. Hudson, Harry Mercer, William Watson, Walter Hawse, Richard Rose, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hudson and chorus, "Just a Little Blue." Mrs. Davis, Mona Jewel, Mary Foyer, Enid Ruddock, Lillian Baker, Doreen Davis, Marjorie Colby, Richard Rose, Walter Hawse, William Watson, Roland Mercer, Harry Mercer, Enid Ruddock, Margarette Ruddock, Genevieve Madden, Cathleen Gaiger, Florence Foyer, Mary Welsh, Nymphs, Doris Jewell, Mabel Jewell, Mimi Ruddock, Molly Mercer, Olive Fisher, Lillian Welsh, Rainbow Faye, Doreen Davis, Enid Ruddock, Mona Jewel, Mary Foyer.

## SAANICH REEVE TALKS ON SEWER AGREEMENT

Explains Negotiations Connected With the Building of the Famous Northwest Sewer

The history of negotiations carried on between Saanich and Victoria in respect to the Northwest sewer was reviewed in detail by Reeve Watson last night at a general meeting of the Central Kootenay Association, held in Tolmie School. The reeve announced that the vote would be taken on the by-law to ratify payment of the Saanich debt to Victoria on November 17. According to the reeve, when the sewer was completed in 1917 the debt amounted to \$45,000. Now, however, through the accumulation of interest charges, the debt totalled nearly \$53,000. Personally, he said, he wanted to see the by-law passed so that arrangements could be made this year to liquidate the debt. There was no question about the municipality owing Victoria the money, and he pointed out that at the last meeting of the council its members had unanimously agreed to that opinion. Councillor MacNeil also spoke for a few minutes on the question and touched on a number of points overlooked by the reeve. The opinion of those present appeared to be divided.

Mr. A. W. Pinlott, vice-president, occupied the chair in the absence of Mr. A. E. Colby, whose resignation was before the meeting and was accepted with regret. Delegates from all wards, with the exception of the Sixth, were present.

The association voted to endorse a communication received from the Ward Four ratepayers, advocating action on the part of the municipal council to secure from the Government power to have roads of subdivisions gravelled before such divisions were taken over by the municipality.

## DEEP COVE DANCE

DEEP COVE, Oct. 19.—The dance held last night in Deep Cove Hall under the auspices of the local branch of the Navy League was a great success. There was a good attendance. Mrs. Gleason and Mr. H. Robinson supplied the music. The supper room, which was in charge of Mrs. R. Layard, Mrs. Alan Downey, Mrs. Hirschner, Miss W. Jeffrey and Miss V. Salmon, was prettily decorated with chrysanthemums. In a short speech Mayor Layard explained the aims and objects of the Navy League, and several new members' names were added to the roll.

## WEEK'S EVENTS IN LONDON OFFICE

Canadian High Commissioner Reports on Business Transactions During Stated Period

During the week of the 2nd October 274 people called at the Canadian Office, temporarily situated in Kinnaird House, Pall Mall, East. Of these visitors, 166 had interviews with the High Commissioner or Mr. Pasand.

Among the visitors were Sir Vincent and Lady Meredith, Gen. D. J. Macdougall, Miss Carmichael, Brig. Gen. Gunn and Major-Gen. MacBrien.

The High Commissioner went to Liverpool on the 28th to meet the Canadian Prime Minister and accompanied him to London in a special coach attached to the train. On Sunday Mr. Larkin accompanied the Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King to divine service in Westminster Abbey.

Six months' interest on the Roumanian bonds are being paid to Canada this week. The amount is about \$500,000.

Notification has been received from the Foreign Office through the Colonial Office that since Canada has notified its adherence to the International Convention of 1911 for the protection of industrial property as from September 1, Canadian trademarks can now be registered in Belgium either by application at Berne or directly at Brussels, as usual.

In view of the splendid record of Omar Pasha, a French-Canadian champion swimmer, in his gallant attempt to swim the Channel, when he beat all records by swimming the distance, accomplished in 12 1/4 hours, the officials of the Canadian Office had much sympathy with the misfortune he suffered in being badly burned through the carelessness of a French fisherman soon after being taken from the water. Arrangements have been made to send Perrault and his wife and manager back to Canada, and they received a telegram of good wishes from the office staff on their departure.

Among the subjects which have received the attention of the office this week are: The notification from the Italian Embassy of the First International Exhibition of the Cheese Industry and Trade at Milan; Inquiry re high powered press radio station at St. Margaret's Bay, Nova Scotia.

Inquiries have been received from a school in Suffolk asking for literature, emblems, etc., for a new "House system" by which each dominion and British colony is represented.

The Canadian office has been requested by the British Government Mines Department to make known in Canada the offer of a prize of £1,000 for an electric storage battery locomotive for use underground in coal mines.

Many inquiries have been passed on to Mr. Tolmie in connection with supplies for Canadian section of British Empire Exhibition of various goods, fittings, etc.

A large organization has asked for and received detailed information about the growth of and handling of Canadian tobacco.

Two separate sums of £2, representing the King's bounty for mothers of triplets, have been transmitted through the Canadian office for mothers of triplets in Ontario and Saskatchewan.

Inquiries about missing relatives continue to arrive and are dealt with week by week. During last week an inquiry came regarding the death of a former Finn in Northern Ontario.

Other inquiries dealt with concerned Canadian supplies of bauxite and the liquor regulations in the different Canadian provinces.

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# The Colonist's Pictorial Page



Miss Katherine Campbell of Columbus, Ohio, recently crowned beauty queen of the United States for the second time in two years, is seen at home with her wolf-hound Russia II.



The only lady member to take her seat in the new Irish parliament, which recently assembled in Dublin, was Mrs. Collins O'Drescoll, sister of the late General Collins.



The Hon. John Cecil, son of Lord William Cecil, recently arrived in Washington to assume his duties as secretary of the British Embassy.



General Joseph Haller, commander-in-chief of the Polish armies, has arrived in New York on his way to San Francisco to attend the American Legion convention.



Society girls of the younger set of Washington rest during a rehearsal of a musical revue which they will give for the benefit of the Women's Universal Alliance.



Mrs. Claudia C. Wheeler, former actress and formerly the wife of a well-known New York banker, met an Egyptian prince, while abroad, whom, she says, will follow her to this country with matrimony in view.



The United States took first and second place in the Schneider Cup competition for seaplanes off Cowes, England. The winner is seen crossing the line after having flown 175 miles an hour, a record for this type of machine.



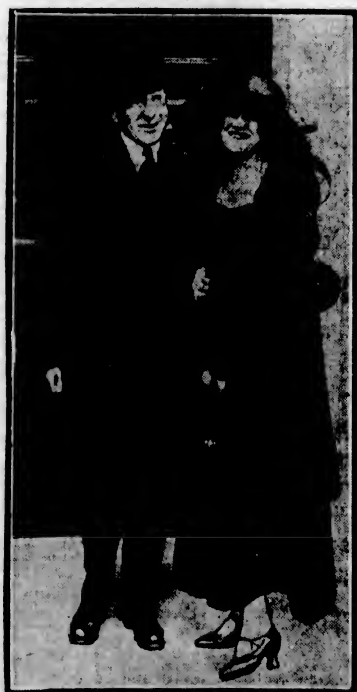
Some fine exhibition pole vaulting may be seen at the University of Toronto Stadium. The college record has already been broken, while the Canadian mark stands in the way of being shattered.



What is a "Kiwi"? This peculiar species is now being raised by poultry men. It is described as a cross between a dwarfed Australian ostrich and a white leghorn hen. It has down instead of feathers, and can't fly over a two-foot fence.



Ambassador Harvey is caught in a playful mood in England with Will Hays, ex-postmaster general of the United States. They are enjoying a game of croquet on the lawns of Warwick Castle.



Lord Leigh, formerly the Hon. Francis Dudley Leigh, was wed in London at the age of sixty-eight years to Miss Marie Campbell, daughter of the late Alexander Campbell of New York.



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Barricades were thrown up by the communists during riots in Badenia, Germany, recently. After some hot fighting they were captured by the police.



King Alfonso, after General di Rivera, now military dictator, had successfully defeated the revolutionists in Spain, reviewed the loyal troops and marched at the head of them.



















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Women's "Velva" Drawers, open or closed styles, and ankle length. Sizes 36 to 40. A pair \$85¢

Women's "Velva" Combinations, with low neck, short and long sleeves; slip-over styles, knee and ankle length. Sizes 36 to 44, at \$1.75 and \$2.00

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Mercerized Lisle Hose of medium weight, knitted seamless, in shades of black, brown, grey, navy and white. A pair \$50¢

Women's Fine Cashmere Hose, with contrasting color clox. Full fashioned, without a seam, wide top and narrow ankle. Black, chestnut, meadow lark, grebe, navy and silver. A pair \$95¢

Heather Cashmere Hose, full fashioned and with wide garter hem. They have narrow ankle and especially reinforced foot. Brown, grey and green mixtures \$1.25

"Bonnie" Top, Silk Three-Quarter Socks, in all popular shades. Sizes 6 to 10. Golden Values. A pair \$1.00

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Men's White Cambric Shirts with fine satin stripe (all white). They have soft double cuffs and starch collar band. Each \$2.25



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Perrin's Tan Cape Gloves, lined. Special at a pair \$2.00

Men's Unlined Tan Kid Gloves, all sizes. A pair \$1.65

Men's Lined Black Astrachan Gauntlets, with black leather palms and fingers. A pair \$1.65

Perrin's Best Grade Dark Grey Suede Gloves, lined and guaranteed. A pair \$3.00

Dent's Tan Mocha Gloves, unlined. A dressy glove for street wear. A pair \$3.00

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



### Simmons Brass and Steel Beds Golden Values

Brass Beds, with 2-inch posts and 2-inch top rod. Heavy corners and 1-inch upright fillers; 4 ft. 6 in. only. At each \$22.00

Brass Beds, with 2-inch continuous posts and five 1-inch upright fillers. Shown in satin ribbon finish. Size 4 ft. 6 in. Each \$21.00

Simmons Steel Beds, with 2-inch continuous posts and cane effect centre panel. They are finished in walnut and supplied in all standard sizes. Each \$21.00

Simmons Beds with square steel continuous posts and five heavy fillers. They are finished in walnut and mahogany, and supplied in all standard sizes. Golden Values. At each \$19.00

Simmons Beds, with continuous posts and heavy fillers. Finished in walnut and size 4 ft. 6 in. Each \$13.90

Simmons Beds, with 1½-inch continuous posts and upright fillers. Finished in ivory or white enamel; size 4 ft. 6 in. Each \$12.90

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

### Armure Tapestry Two Big Specials, a Yard 79¢ and 95¢

Armure Tapestry is a brocade fabric especially suitable for portiere curtains. We offer the following yardage at a low price today:

100 Yards of Armure Tapestry, 42-inch; rose only. Golden Value, a yard 79¢

50 Yards Armure Tapestry, 50 inches wide. Golden Value, a yard 95¢

—Drapery Dept., 2nd Floor